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DEAD NUMBER TWENTY-TWO

ESTIMATE OF VICTIMS OF WRECK IN COLORADO

Only Seven of Dead Bodies Can Be Identified—Number of Injured Placed at Twenty-two—Telegraph Operators Blamed.

Pueblo, Colo., March 17.—Twenty-two dead and twenty-two injured is the best estimate of the casualties in the wreck on the Denver & Rio Grande railroad Friday. Only seven of the dead bodies can be identified, and only one of these retains a sufficient outline of features to be readily recognizable. The remainder are known from the fact that the position where the charred bones were found were the places where they would naturally have been when the collision happened.

Two telegraph operators are held in the public mind to be responsible for the disaster, although no formal indictment has gone out against them. Both have been discharged from the service of the road.

A coroner's jury has been empaneled and will begin an investigation Monday. In addition to this the railroad company has directed its officials to locate the blame through an examination of trainmen and operators, who will be asked to gather together in the near future and tell what they know of the deplorable affair.

L. C. Whitney, who was being taken to the penitentiary by Deputy Sheriff Baird, had been chained to his seat and when the fire broke out in the wreckage he had no chance whatever to escape. By the irony of fate his guard perished with him. The laws of Colorado have a provision making it a crime to fasten prisoners to car seats in transportation.

BILLIARD CONTEST

Title of Amateur Champion May Go to Edw. W. Gardner.

Chicago, March 17.—With only two regularly scheduled games yet to be played in the national amateur billiard championship tournament, it is assured that the title which has been held for the past year by Charles F. Conklin of Chicago, will go to an easterner. Edward W. Gardner of Passaic, N. J., is the only one of six contestants who has not lost a game, but he has J. F. Poggenburg of New York as his opponent in the final game, and should the latter win this match he and Gardner will be tied for first place.

Poggenburg lost his first game in the tournament to night to Calvin Demarest, the 1-year-old Chicago boy, who defeated that older champion by a score of 300 to 151. Demarest and Harry Wright of San Francisco are tied for third place, but there is an excellent chance of their capturing most of the other prizes. Wright's phenomenal run of 137 yesterday probably will not be passed. Demarest leads in the grand average by over two points. Wright is tied with Poggenburg for the high single average and an extra game will have to be played to decide this.

UNDER A TRAIN

Chicago, March 17.—Mrs. T. J. Tanner of Zion City, a member of Zion church, killed herself and infant child to day by throwing herself with her child in her arms before a fast Northwestern train. Both were killed instantly. The woman is believed to have been demented. Before taking the fatal step she had wandered about the streets in the religious portions of the household.

TRIED FOR BANK ROBBERY

Vienna, Austria, March 17.—John Patrick Howard will be tried in the assizes next Monday on a charge of bank robbery. He was arrested in July, 1905, and is believed to be Joseph Killoran, who on July 4, 1905, while under arrest in the Ludlow street jail, New York city, charged with postoffice robbery, escaped, but was afterward captured and served a sentence at the Chester, Illinois penitentiary.

STRIKE THREATS

Helsingfors, Finland, March 17.—The socialists are keeping up their threats of a general strike unless the diet pronounced in favor of a single chamber parliament and universal suffrage.

Moscow, March 17.—The committee of social democrats denies it is participating in the efforts to provoke a new general and political strike.

ANOTHER ARREST

Oakley, Idaho, March 17.—J. L. Simpkins, a member of the executive committee of the Western Federation of Miners, has been arrested near here. It is said Simpkins is wanted in connection with the assassination of ex-Governor Frank Stei-

KING NOT SERIOUSLY ILL

Bucharest, Roumania, March 17.—It is officially stated that there is no truth in the published reports of the serious illness of King Charles of Roumania.

GUESTS OF CANNON

Members of Gridiron Club are Given Dinner by Speaker of House.

Washington, March 17.—Speaker Cannon to night gave a dinner to the Gridiron club, the famous organization of Washington correspondents, whose guest he has been on many occasions during the past twenty-two years. A distinguished company was invited to meet the club and nearly two hundred and twenty-five guests assembled in the beautifully decorated dining room of the New Willard hotel at the invitation of the speaker. It was not a Gridiron dinner, although some Gridiron methods were introduced. The rules of the club as to short speeches, which are never published, were invoked, while skits and songs by the club entertained the speaker's guests. A number of very good speeches were made. The club presented Cannon with a large gridiron, appropriately decorated.

FATAL HOLDUP

Chicago, March 17.—In what is said to have been an attempted holdup shortly before 1 o'clock this morning in Dusing's saloon, one man was killed, another fatally wounded and one slightly hurt.

The dead: William Curry, shot through the lungs.

The wounded: William Russell, 39 years old, shot in the breast, will probably die; Charles Maxwell, 39 years old, shot in right shoulder and foot, not serious.

The saloonkeeper declared the dead and wounded men intended to hold up the resort. He and his bartender returned the shots of the three men.

Two masked robbers, armed with revolvers, entered the saloon of John Vogel Friday night and, after standing several customers against the wall and compelling the bartender to do the same, collected \$20 from their pockets and the cash register and escaped.

HOWBERT RE-ELECTED

Cheyenne, Wyo., March 17.—Irving Howbert, president of the Portland Gold Mining company, and the entire board of Howbert directors were re-elected at the annual meeting of the stockholders here to day. The re-election of Howbert and his directors was contested by James F. Burns, who was ousted from the presidency of the company a year ago, and the spirit of the meeting was bitter. The action of the trustees in removing the headquarters of the company from Iowa to Wyoming in order to avoid paying \$10,000 annual reported taxes was endorsed. The annual report of the secretary states that dividends for 1905 amounted to \$1,069,000.

FLOOD SUBSIDING

Fresno, Cal., March 17.—Clear, cold weather in the valley region is having its effect and the high water in both the Kings and San Joaquin rivers is subsiding slowly. The Kings river overflowed its banks during the night, flooding truck farms in the lowlands and causing damage to the amount of \$500,000. The flood now prevailing around Visalia has not been equaled since 1892.

BOWLING CONGRESS

Tournament Opened at Louisville Saturday.

Louisville Ky., March 17.—In the presence of three thousand people, A. C. Taylor to night sent the first ball bowled in the tournament of the American Bowling Congress spinning down the alley, and cheers greeted his effort when he finished the performance with a neat spar. The exercises preceding the opening of play were brief and informal, consisting of addresses of welcome and responses. The first balls rolled in actual play were shot down the alleys simultaneously and strikes were made on two alleys by members of the Osceola and Haager No. 3 teams, both of Louisville. The first business session of the congress will be held Monday.

The first group of sixteen 5-men teams finished bowling at 10:20. All are from Louisville. The grand totals rolled by the two highest teams were: Pearl of Nelson, 2,415; Fern Cliff, 2,415.

MAY PENSION LEE'S WIDOW

Norfolk, Va., March 17.—United States Senator Daniel has announced that he will introduce a bill in congress giving the widow of Gen. Fitzhugh Lee a pension. Although General Lee died as a retired brigadier general of the United States, he died poor, leaving his widow only a few thousand dollars life insurance.

TREASURER MISSING

San Diego de Cuba, March 17.—Blas Molinet, provincial treasurer, has been missing for four days and his whereabouts are unknown. An investigation to day, it is alleged, revealed a shortage in the treasury of \$30,000.

Milwaukee, March 17.—Hazel Patch, 26 years, the fastest harness horse ever owned in Wisconsin, was sold by J. W. Wack for \$2,000 to W. W. Fleming of Winthrop, Manitoba.

POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

MUST BE MADE GOOD BY TRUSTEES.

Each One Involved Will Have to Pay Nearly \$10,000—Action Taken by New York Life Insurance Company.

New York, March 17.—The World to-morrow will say:

"At the conference yesterday an agreement was reached by the trustees of the New York Life Insurance company, who were members of the finance committee during the presidential campaign of 1896, 1900 and 1904, and were cognizant of the political contributions made by the New York Life, by which these members should reimburse the company to the extent of \$10,000. This is the total of the political contributions made by the company. Each trustee will go into his own private funds to make the payment. In all there are fifteen trustees involved and under the agreement each man will have to contribute a trifle less than \$10,000. It was originally planned to hold the estate of John A. McCall responsible for all political contributions and to bring legal actions against it to obtain reimbursements. The abandonment of this plan is involved in the decision reached at yesterday's conference."

GANGS WON FIGHT

Defeated Mike "Twin" Sullivan at Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 17.—Joe Gans defeated Mike ("Twin") Sullivan of Boston to night in ten rounds. While Sullivan was not counted out, he was practically helpless when the police instructed the referee to end the fight. Gans made a perfect fight, weaving down Sullivan with a straight left body punch that never failed to land and which had Sullivan's ribs in a red glow from waist to shoulder all through the fight.

Washington, March 17.—Advice received at the state department from Algiers contains criticism of the German insistence upon the adoption, probably without modification, of the Austrian proposal for policing Morocco. Although not voting on any question involving European politics, this government is averse to complication of the system for policing Morocco and, provided the international character of the scheme can be preserved, is well content to entrust the policing to a force of French and Spanish officers, who would be responsible to the diplomatic corps at Tangier for effective service in caring for the interests of all nations. There is authoritative information that eventually Germany, having assured herself of the internationality of the police system, will assent to modifications of the Austrian proposal.

DEATH AT VIRGINIA

Virginia, Ill., March 17.—Mrs. Henry Dyer of this place died at 1 o'clock this morning at the age of 25 years. She leaves her husband and one child. No arrangements have been made for the funeral. Mrs. Dyer was the daughter of the late George Kruso of Virginia.

PRECINCT PRESIDENTS

A meeting of the precinct presidents of the Morgan County Sunday School association was held at the Y. M. C. A. building Saturday with a full attendance. Matters pertaining to the state convention to be held in Kankakee, and the organization of the Sunday School Volunteers, were discussed. The plan is to furnish each member with a badge bearing the letters "S. S. V." and each member who brings a new scholar to Sunday school is to be presented with an "S. S. V." button.

Those present at the conference were: Arthur Swain, of Sinclair; president; Miss Amanda Rawlings, secretary; Rev. W. P. Kohl, of Lynnville; Rev. S. A. Glasgow, of Woodson; J. K. Cunningham, of Murrayville; Albert Crum, of Litchberry; M. M. Crum, of Litchberry; Samuel Dayley, of Pisgah; Miss Anne Hopper, of Jacksonville; Miss Mattie Hyden, of Jacksonville; and Miss Clara Ransom, of Jacksonville.

The Morgan County Sunday School convention will be held in Litchberry in the latter part of August.

TALBOTTS CAFE

Owing to the increased demand for banquet service at the Talbott cafe the proprietor has decided to give more attention to this class of business and will be prepared on short notice to furnish large or small parties in the best of style. This class of service will in no way interfere with the regular restaurant trade as accommodations are ample for both. Will be glad to figure with banquet committees at any time.

CANNOT INTERFERE

State Department Says Americans Sentenced to Prison for Murder in Mexico Had Fair Trial.

Washington, March 17.—The state department has replied to friends of Pinstad and Coughner, Americans, just sentenced at Chihuahua, Mexico, to twelve years' imprisonment for the killing of the Americans, Rutherford and McMurtry, at Diaz, that it has found nothing so far in the proceedings before the Mexican courts to indicate that there has been any denial of justice, and on no other grounds could the department undertake to interfere with the execution of the sentence.

HEIR JOHANN MOST DEAD

Cincinnati, Ohio, March 17.—Heir Johann Most, high priest of anarchy in America, died to day at noon at the home of his friend, Adolphus Kraus, 123 Carter street. Most suffered from erysipelas, which reached his brain Saturday morning. Dr. Joseph Mettias, who was attending him, wanted Heir Most taken to a hospital, where better treatment might have been given him. His friends declined, declaring they would care for him themselves. Death, however, was inevitable. The funeral is in New York and have been notified of his death. It is not yet known where the remains of the famous advocate of authority will be buried.

GUILTY OF MURDER

Chicago, March 17.—John O'Hearn was this evening found guilty of murdering Nels Lunsin, while holding up the latter's saloon Jan. 29. O'Hearn and three companions, Leo Angus, Joe Warren and Raymond Nelson, entered Lunsin's saloon and demanded his money. Lunsin not obeying promptly, O'Hearn fired and killed him instantly. The men were arrested during the night and Angus confessed. He said they had committed several holdups. O'Hearn's companions are yet to be tried.

GAGE WILL RESIGN

New York, March 17.—The Herald to-morrow will say: "It became known in Wall street yesterday that Lyman J. Gage, former secretary of the treasury, has decided to resign as president of the United States Trust company, to which position he was elected after his resignation from McKinley's cabinet. The cause of the resignation is falling health."

"Gage was president of the First National bank of Chicago prior to entering McKinley's cabinet. For five years he has been the presiding head of the United States Trust company. Recently he has on more than one occasion expressed the wish to his fellow directors to be relieved of his duties."

WILL PAY A DIVIDEND

Pittsburg, Pa., March 17.—It was stated to day that the receiver of the defunct Enterprise National bank of Allegheny will pay a dividend early in April and that ultimately the depositors may receive 25 cents on the dollar. The state deposits in the bank at the time of the failure have been made good, the full amount of \$1,000,000 having been turned over to the state treasurer by the trust companies who were sureties for the bank.

ATTACK ON MORAS

Investigation Shows Many Women and Children Were Saved—Overtures Scorned.

Manila, March 17.—Further investigation develops the fact that many women and children were saved in the attack against the Moro quarters on Mount Dajo recently. Those killed were killed at long range and by shell fire. The attack was delayed six months, while Governor Scott was endeavoring to persuade the outlaws to surrender. All overtures were scorned and the defiant attitude of the leaders of the outlaws and the Arab priests persuaded those followers that the government would be unable to dislodge them from their fortress within two years. Landing Moras in their desire for the extermination of the outlaws, added the troops in the fight. Two hundred Moras, under the direction of leading officers, formed columns and carried water to the troops. The reports of company and troop commanders to Major General Wood show that every effort was made to save the women and children.

After the fight was over, Wood ordered supplies and assistance for the women and children remaining alive in the crater. The gulf and principal darters are still contemplating General Wood for killing the outlaws.

CRIMES OF JEALOUS MAN

Wheeling, W. Va., March 17.—In a jealous rage, after waiting from midnight till midnight for his wife's return, David Paxton, a tempter, aged 28 years, shot his wife, and believing her dead, tried to kill his baby, his father-in-law and two policemen. He then shot and fatally wounded himself.

GUIDING STAR WINNING HORSE

CAPTURED BIG RACE AT NEW ORLEANS.

Won Crescent City Derby by Half a Length—City Park Derby Won by Minnie Adams With Ease.

New Orleans, La., March 17.—Guiding Star realized all of the talents' expectations when he led his field home in the Crescent City derby, 1 1/4 miles, at the fair grounds this afternoon. The race is worth \$7,500 to the winner. Of the eight who elected to start, Guiding Star opened favorite. Lady Navarro and James Reddick were second choice at 5 to 2. Lottis Eater and Ben Hodder at four and others at longer odds. At the close Lottis Eater had been backed down to 13 to 5 and was the favorite.

Joekey Marth handled Guiding Star with the utmost skill. He kept at all times within striking distance and the moment Ben Hodder showed signs of tiring, sent his mount to the front and won very cleverly by half a length. The two ran a grand race and were driven to the limit. Time 1:54 2/5.

Fred Cook's filly, Minnie Adams, a 5 to 2 favorite, fairly smothered her field for speed in the City Park derby to day. Joekey Nicol sent her to the front at once and was never reached, and won easily by a length from Kerehoval, 10 to 1, who was second all the way. Orbicular, 12 to 1, finished. It was practically a one horse race. The derby was worth \$4,500 to the winner. Distant 1 1/4 miles; time—2:04 2/5.

INVITATION SENT ROOSEVELT

Chicago, March 17.—The mayors of fifty large cities in different parts of the country have written President Roosevelt inviting him to deliver an address during the convention of the League of American Municipalities, which will meet in Chicago Sept. 25 next. The list of signers to the letter includes the chief executives of all the largest cities in the United States.

HELD IN CHECK

Free Expression of Will Prevented in Russian Elections.

St. Petersburg, March 17.—Charges of interference on the part of police officials to prevent a free expression of will by the preliminary elections to the county conventions are increasing. The Nafsa Shina says it has investigated rural elections in St. Petersburg provinces and alleges that the authorities everywhere forbade a popular meeting called by liberals and reactionaries. Hundreds of representatives of the liberal party were threatened, and in some cases there were even military demonstrations. Agents openly threatened the peasants with repression if certain persons were elected. Peasants from three districts have sent telegrams of protest to Emperor Nicholas.

DRY DOCK DEWEY

Baltimore, Md., March 17.—The British steamer Belfast, Captain McKee, which arrived from Las Palmas, Canary Islands, to day, brought mails from the dry dock Dewey. Captain McKee reports that when he left Las Palmas repairs were being made to the dock.

PATTERSON NOW A SOCIALIST

Chicago, March 17.—Joseph Medill Patterson, millionaire's son, and former commissioner of public works, has paid his 25 cents dues, signed the party pledge, renounced all other political faiths and become a real Socialist. From now until the close of the aldermanic campaign he will be one of the leading and ablest of the socialists' campaign to "capture the powers of government in the interest of the working masses." The socialists expect that his appearance as a champion of the workmen will be an attractive novelty and will help to break down the barriers of class prejudice. Patterson has arranged a series of thirteen meetings, at which the result will appear. Mr. Patterson gives out some additional opinions on the campaign.

"It is a hopeless and impossible task for anybody to attempt to cope successfully under the present laws with the abuses perpetrated by corporations. I could not do it before and I could not do it now."

"GENERAL" RYDER DEAD.
Kansas City, Mo., March 17.—General William R. Ryder, politician, mine promoter and of late years, preacher famous for half a century as a Missionary character, was found dead yesterday afternoon in a second-class lodging house here. Deceased with years, sick and wasted by dissipation, he had evidently deserted his home suddenly. "Billy" Ryder gained fame by his fireless championship of bills of his own devising. He had not since 1888. He was the author of the beef tax bill and claimed to have first originated the eight hour law. He drew the bill by which lottery was banished from Missouri. So intense was the feeling engendered by this that Governor Phelps pardoned Ryder from the penitentiary, where he was sentenced for stabbing a man. He was 70 years old.

RIG ONION CONTRACT

New York, March 17.—Bertram advises state that a London firm has contracted for 200,000 crates of onions, two-thirds of the total crop. The growers will realize \$1 a crate. It is said that this large purchase of onions has been made solely for use as a consumptive cure. The onions are said to contain medicinal properties which are said to be a sure cure for tuberculosis. The onions are to be shipped to England, where the juice will be extracted and made into a preparation under secret process.

SONS OF ST. PATRICK

Celebrate Day in New York with Parade and Banquet—At Philadelphia.

New York, March 17.—Rear Admiral Coghlan, U. S. N.; Congressman Samuel W. McCall of Massachusetts, Congressman W. Bourke Cockran and Mayor McClellan were among the speakers to night at the banquet of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick. The banquet followed a day of celebration by Irish societies, with a parade this afternoon, in which 30,000 men took part, being a feature. Admiral Coghlan's toast was the army and the navy. In part he said:

"We are having a little trouble with our dark skinned brothers in the far off islands—our little brothers in blood. I am sure that when we get the proper reports we will find the army has been guilty of nothing we need be ashamed of. Sherman said 'war is hell,' and there are angels in peace and devils in war."

SECRETARY DONAPARTE

Philadelphia, Pa., March 17.—Secretary of the Navy Donaparte was the guest of honor and chief speaker to night at the banquet of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick. During the course of his remarks Donaparte spoke of the necessity of a greater navy. In this connection he said: "As we are situated it will be only when the navy has failed that other branches of our service of the army could be called upon to protect the life of the nation against serious peril. I ask to night that the Sons of St. Patrick bring all their influence to bear upon public opinion in order to render it imperative in demand from congress that under no circumstances shall parsimony or pressure of money interest or any consideration of faction or party interfere with the up-building of a great navy."

WISCONSIN Y. M. C. A.

Beloit, Wis., March 17.—The state convention of the Y. M. C. A. elected the following officers to day: President, J. M. Whitehead, Janesville; recording secretary, C. B. Willis, Milwaukee; state secretary, P. E. Anderson, Milwaukee; assistant secretary, Charles Pieper, Milwaukee; treasurer, A. V. Bishop, Milwaukee. La Crosse was selected as the next place of meeting. V. W. Helm of Tokio, Japan, in his address to day said the Japanese nation has gone educational and that it was making progress in that line that was astonishing.

RUN DOWN BY A TRAIN

Philadelphia, Pa., March 17.—Becoming confused by a locomotive whistle, Brother Peter John O'Leary of the Order of Christian Brothers, instructor of the Catholic protector for boys, near Forestown, Pa., was killed by a freight train on the Pennsylvania railroad to day. Brother Peter was walking along the track, when two trains approached in opposite directions. The whistles bewildered him and in attempting to step aside he walked in front of one of the trains and was run down.

PANIC AVERTED

Woburn, Mass., March 17.—During a St. Patrick's night minstrel show in the Woburn Auditorium this evening fire started in behind the stage, but through the efforts of young men who were in the middle of an act, a panic was averted and the audience of nearly a thousand persons reached the street in an orderly manner. A few minutes later the entire building was in flames.

A PROTEST

Hungarian Coalition Party Objects to Dissolution of Executive Committee.

Budapest, March 17.—The executive committee of the coalition party to day issued a protest against the decree of the council of ministers dissolving the committee and prohibiting it from continuing its operations. The protest declares the executive committee has not elected a revolt, but, on the contrary, has emphasized the fact that it was to the interest of the nation to maintain order, it argues that the leaders of the party are not subject to government supervision, but are free to express their opinions like other subjects. The protest concludes with the statement it will continue its activity within the limits of the law.

KILLED BY LANDSLIDE

Rio De Janeiro, March 17.—A storm on Friday caused landslides and floods. Twenty persons were killed or injured here, and landslides at Petropolis, capital of the state of Rio Janeiro, killed fifty persons and injured many more.

DEATHS

St. Paul, March 17.—Mrs. Caroline Johnson, mother of Governor Johnson, died at her home in St. Peter, Minn., at midnight.

RECEIVER FOR IRON COMPANY

Montgomery, Ala., March 17.—A receiver was appointed to day for the Lookout Mountain Iron company. The property is valued at \$1,350,000. The company's debts are probably half that sum.

RESULTS OF INDOOR MEETS

CONTESTS OF ATHLETES FOR HONORS.

St. Louis University Won Meet in St. Louis—Michigan University Defeats Indiana—Events at New York.

St. Louis, March 17.—St. Louis university won the indoor athletic meet to night. The points won by the teams were: St. Louis university, 28 1/2; Washington, 18; Missouri A. C., 12; Kansas City, 6; Central high school, St. Louis, 6; Y. M. C. A., St. Louis, and Yeatman high, St. Louis, 5. The winners: Special invitation, 60 yards scratch event—Richard Murray, unattached, St. Louis; time—36 2/5. Relays, six men teams; distance 5 of a mile—Kansas City Y. M. C. A.; time 2:18. 50-yard shot handicap—Robinson, St. Louis university; distance 42 feet 7 inches. Special one mile invitation—James D. Lightbody, unattached, Chicago; time 4:28. Relays, six men teams; distance 5 of a mile—Kansas City Y. M. C. A.; time 2:18.

500 yard run handicap—Kenney, St. Louis university; time, 2:02 1/5. Special relay, four men teams—Dupont Manual Training school, Louisville; time, 1:20 2/5. Pole vault, handicap—Dillon, St. Louis university; 10 feet 11 inches. 60-yard dash, handicap—Grover, Washington university; time, 35 3/5. One mile handicap—Reefe, St. Louis university; time, 4:04 2/5. Running high jump, handicap—McElroy, Kansas City; height 5 feet 9 inches. Interscholastic championship relay, four men teams, 1/4 of a mile—Washington university, St. Louis; time, 2:52.

Parsons and Waller of Madison, Wis., who were featured as stars of the meet, refused to start in the invitation 40-yard event. They were beaten by Richard Murray in the invitation 60-yard event and protested, claiming Murray beat the starting gun by several feet. The dash was run in world's record time. The protest was not allowed. The 40-yard event was called off.

Ann Arbor, Mich., March 17.—The University of Michigan easily defeated Indiana university in the indoor meet here to night, 112 1/2 to 22 1/2. Michigan won first place in every event except the pole vault, which went to Captain Samson of Indiana, 11 feet. Bishop of Michigan was not able to get better than 10 feet 6 inches. Garrett of Michigan won the shot put, 32 feet 8 inches. Bowman of Michigan defeated Williamson of Indiana by only six inches in the 40-yard dash. The only good time made was by Goodwin, in the quarter mile, 3:45 seconds. In other distance runs Michigan had a walk away.

The high jump was hotly contested. Pinch of Michigan and Samson and Miller of Indiana all clearing the bar at 5 feet 10 inches, but none of them could go higher.

AT NEW YORK

New York, March 17.—Four amateur athletic union championship events were on the program of the indoor meet of the Pastime Athletic club to night. In the 1000 yards championship run, Melvin W. Sheppard of the Irish-American Athletic club of this city won in 3:23 2/5. Archie Hahn of Milwaukee won the 600-yard dash in 1:43 1/2 seconds. James Mitchell of New York won the 55-pound push for height with 15 feet. L. E. Furbach of New York won the 21-pound shot put event with 31 feet 6 inches.

A MENTAL WRECK

Kalamazoo, Mich., March 17.—John B. Hunter, formerly president of the Henderson-Amos company of this city, and once one of Kalamazoo's leading business men, was to day committed to the asylum for the insane. His break down began at the close of the Spanish-American war, when he became involved in a scandal through which a large amount of military supplies were sold by the state military authorities and repurchased by the state at a price that left a large sum of money in the hands of the conspirators. Hunter was isolated, completely and died \$1,000. He is now said to be a mental and physical wreck.

EARTHQUAKES

Tokio, Japan, March 17.—Severe earthquakes occurred at Kael, Formosa, to day. Hundreds of buildings were destroyed and many hundreds of people were killed.

DO NOT NEGLECT A BAD COLD

Never allow a cold to take its course. Too often at this season of the year its course is towards pneumonia. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will promptly cure your cold and dispel all danger of that disease. There is nothing better for acute throat and lung troubles. For sale by all leading druggists.

BUZZING OF POLITICAL BEE

Is Heard Throughout County—
Much Speculation as to Legis-
lative Candidates From This
District.

Politics continues to be an absorbing topic and at the present time in both of the old line parties there is considerable speculation as to the probable candidates for the state legislature. There are two senatorial committees in the district comprising the counties of Morgan and Sangamon and both have held meetings. One committee decided that the senator should come from Morgan county and the two representatives from Sangamon county. The other committee decided that the senator should come from Sangamon county and that each county should furnish a candidate for the legislature.

Under the latter arrangement Logan Hay, of Springfield, is talked of as the senatorial candidate and Frank J. Heintz, of Morgan county, and Charles Fetzner, of Sangamon county, as the representative candidates. Under the latter arrangement C. F. Wemple is being urged by his friends as the senatorial candidate. It was rumored Saturday that he had decided to become a candidate and he certainly would make a strong race. The Democrats of the district have decided to give Sangamon county the two representatives and give the senator to Morgan county. Under this arrangement ex-State Senator Edward McConnell, of Jacksonville, and E. E. Etter, of Waverly, are being urged by their friends to make the race.

Additional interest in the political situation was given Saturday by the circulation of the Yates petition for United States senator. Under the primary law a candidate to have his name appear on the official ballot

must have five thousand names signed to a petition and filed with the secretary of state.

HORSE NEEDED HELP.

Considerable excitement was aroused on West State street Saturday shortly after noon by the actions of what appeared to be a balky horse. The animal was hitched to the An-lu-sar-Busch beer wagon, driven by Phil Bacon, and stopped suddenly in the alley by the Adams Express office. All the efforts of the driver could not start the animal, and soon a large crowd of interested spectators gathered. All were free with advice, and many plans for starting the horse were tried. Isaac Watson and Will Oshorne tried tying strings around his ears, others suggested working his forefeet up and down on the pavement, some tried kindness, and all failed alike. Uncle Jim Rutherford finally hove in sight, and suggested that all that was needed was a little assistance. This was freely given, and as soon as the pull was in this way lightened, the animal started forward in good shape. Mr. Rutherford had worked the same horse on his bus and also on his baggage wagon, and says that he never knew him to balk. The horse's action appears to have been due more to fatigue than to natural perversity.

Robert's laundry Ill 'phone 1210

CENTENARY IMPROVEMENTS.

The Sunday school rooms of Centenary church have been recaptured by the Ladies Aid society of the church. Several classes of the Sunday school have taken a part in the work. The entire interior of the church is in excellent condition, and a more complete auditorium and chapel for Sunday school are not found in the city.

Ruthier Bros. Killian & Son.

"EASTER TOGGERY."

See Dodge, the tailor, 211½ West State street.

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plete Mail Directory—Inform-
ation of Interest to Every One.

In an effort to better the mail service of Jacksonville Postmaster Reeve will have circulated Monday address blanks for the purpose of compiling a new mail directory. This movement should meet with the hearty co-operation of all residents of the city. Saturday twenty per cent of the mail received had to be resorted to owing to a failure on the part of letter writers to give full address. Under the law the postoffice authorities in offices of the class of the Jacksonville office are not required to make any effort to deliver mail that does not have the residence or business address. Under the regulations all mail of this character should go to the general delivery. As a matter of accommodation, however, the regulation is not strictly adhered to and mail improperly addressed is passed from the hands of one carrier to another until it finally reaches the person for whom it was intended. Proper addressing of mail would obviate two difficulties, namely, less delay in the matter of receipt of mail and greater efficiency on the part of the carriers, making the receiving hours of mail much earlier than at present.

Mail of a circular character is frequently dropped into the office in packages of a hundred letters or more with simply the name of the individual and the word "city" on the envelope. As there are scores of people in the city with the same first and last name, the problem that confronts the carrier becomes apparent without further explanation.

Postmaster Reeve is anxious that the people of Jacksonville should co-operate with him in his attempt to better the mail service of the city and hopes that the response will be both prompt and general.

In this same connection it may be of interest to many to know the regulations of letter carriers in the matter of working hours. The law provides that they shall work eight hours and only eight. Working even a minute over this time subjects the offending employee to a fine. This may seem to many a queer rule but the reason of it is plain when understood. Some years ago the number of hours of employees were placed at eight but many of the employees would work overtime in the event that they had not finished the delivery of their mail. Soon there came pouring in from all parts of the country to the claim office at Washington statements claiming pay for working overtime. The government did not feel that these claims could be overlooked or ignored so they were paid. This made a big hole in the annual post-office appropriation and in order to provide against a similar occurrence a strict rule was announced by the postoffice department requiring carriers to stop in their delivery of mail in time to get back to the postoffice within the eight hour limit, even

though the working of a few minutes overtime would enable them to finish their route.

A concrete example of the strictness with which the above rule is adhered to is in the following which appeared in the Saturday Chicago Tribune:

"When the holiday rush was at its height last Christmas John W. Higby, a Minneapolis letter carrier, found himself near the end of his route with several packages undelivered. It was time to return to the office and quit for the day, but Higby thought of the people who were awaiting presents and decided to work a little while longer without pay rather than disappoint them. As a result he was notified to day that he will lose one day's pay, \$2.78, for violating the eight hour law. The fine was imposed by the department at Washington. Higby never had received a reprimand in the eight years he has been a carrier, and local postal authorities will try to have the fine order rescinded."

REPUBLICAN SENATORIAL CONVENTION.

A delegate convention of the Republicans of the forty-fifth senatorial district is hereby called to meet at the circuit court room in the court house in the city of Jacksonville, Illinois, Wednesday, May 9, 1906, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating two candidates for members of the house of representatives of the general assembly of the state of Illinois, and one candidate for member of the senate of the state of Illinois, to be voted for at an election to be held Nov. 6, 1906, and such other business as may properly come before said convention.

The basis of representation in said convention for the several counties composing said senatorial district will be one delegate for every 400 votes, or major fraction thereof, east for Theodore Roosevelt for president in November, 1904.

Upon this basis the several counties composing said district will be entitled to representation as follows:

| | Votes | Del. |
|-----------------|--------|------|
| Morgan County | 4,248 | 11 |
| Sangamon County | 10,638 | 27 |

Said convention will be conducted in accordance with the provisions of an act to provide for the holding and regulating primary elections, approved May 18, 1905, so far as said law is applicable to such conventions.

H. W. Butler, Chairman.
John J. Reeve, Sec.

HOME WANTED.

We have cash buyer for modern house of, say, 7 rooms, well located. The Johnston Agency.

"EASTER SERVICES."

Will be held at the same places and hour as last year. You can attend and look as if you enjoyed yourself if you wear one of our spring suits. Dodge, The Tailor, 211½ West State St.

TRIP THROUGH SOUTH.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fay, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Stewart and Mayor and Mrs. John R. Davis expect to leave this morning for a ten days' trip through the south. They may visit the island of Cuba before their return.

Buggy painting, Killian & Son

211½ West State street.
Dodge, The Tailor.

THE BIJOU THEATRE

New High Class Vaudeville
House on West State Street.

About a month ago H. Bernstein came here from Chicago and after looking over the territory believed this city would support a first class vaudeville house. He rented the Finlay building and work of overhauling and rearranging the building was commenced at once and rapidly pushed through. The building has been fitted with every convenience for which it is to be used and the interior decorations are very neat and attractive. The stage, though small, is fully equipped with the necessary accessories for arranging the scenic environments.

An elevated floor leads back from the stage and comfortable cushioned theatre seats have been provided for the patrons.

A large electric sign has been swung from the front of the building which gives a very metropolitan appearance.

Mr. Bernstein is going to make this a high class vaudeville house, where ladies, children and men may come and see a good clean, first class attraction for a small sum.

The opening attraction will be to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the matinee, and in the evening at 8 o'clock and 9:15, thus giving three attractions a day. The matinee prices will be 10 cents and in the evening 10 and 20 cents. For a list of the splendid attractions for the opening week see the Bijou theatre adv. on another page.

PUBLIC SALE.

of town lots. I will sell at public sale Monday March 19, at 1:30 p. m. on the ground, a number of lots situated on Chambers street and Brooklyn avenue and Henry street, to the highest bidders. Terms of sale, one-third cash on day of sale, one-third in one year, and one-third in two years, deferred payments secured by vendor's lien. Can pay cash.

John E. Kingsley.

BALLOON TAG.

Saturday E. F. Krauch brought to the store of Myers Bros. the last one of the outstanding tags which went up with their advertising balloons. This one sought the clouds Oct. 10, and the tag lodged in a tree on the Bergscheider farm, not far from Pisgah. The goods called for were promptly forthcoming.

THE LATCH STRING IS AT- WAYS OUT.

We are always at home; always ready to receive visitors, lookers, or buyers—all are welcome. Of course we are here to sell, but we are in no hurry about it. We'll be here next year, and the next too. You'll buy a piano sometime. You'll buy one of ours if you get to know them thoroughly and our method of doing business. Only two blocks from the square, but dollars closer. Bruce & Co., 333 West State street.

Robert's laundry. None better.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to return our sincere thanks to all the kind friends who were so good and sympathetic to us and so helpful during our recent bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Williams.



Opera House Block

SPECIAL

For One Week

Men's rolled edge snag-proof Felts and Overs, \$1.89 one buckle.

Men's rolled edge snag-proof Felts and Overs, \$2.39 two buckles.

All of these are first quality and new goods. All rubber goods at low prices and a full stock to select from.

Boys' Kned Pants 39c, any age, new patterns. Are new goods, sold for 50c cents in any store.

Men's Fleece-lined Underwear, 39c per garment. A full line of sizes in shirts and drawers.

Boys' Suits cheapest. Men's Suits cheapest. And a full stock of gent's Furnishings for all mankind.

Books and Stationery

School Books for all the schools and all kinds of school supplies. We have just received a full stock of Catholic Prayer Books. Magazines, periodicals and dramatic papers, paper bound fiction.

B. P. S. Paints.

The best Mixed Paint sold. Any kind of paint you may want. We sell Varnishes, Japans, Fillers, Lead, Oil, Turps, Dry Colors, Brushes of all kinds.



Opera House Block

Telephone 200. N.-E. Cor. Square.

Attention, Carpenters & Builders

We have a full line of all kinds of Carpenters'

Tools, Builders' Hardware, Cutlery

And Similar Goods.

Just Received, A Large Invoice of Wheelbarrows

SUTTER & TICKNOR

North Main and North Streets

| ONION SETS | | EATING POTATOES | |
|----------------|-------|-----------------------|-----|
| White, quart. | 10 c | Large smooth Northern | |
| Yellow, quart. | 8 1-3 | Rose, cook white and | |
| Red, quart. | 8 1-3 | mealy, bushel | 70c |

SEED POTATOES

We have just closed a contract with one of the largest potato growers in the famous Red River Valley to furnish our Ohio seed for this year. They are sound, smooth stock and we do not hesitate to say that they are superior to any on the market.

Par bushel. 90c Five bushel lots. 85c

| GRANULATED SUGAR | | GOLD MEDAL FLOUR | |
|------------------|--------|--------------------------|--------|
| 19 pounds | \$1.00 | 50 pound sack | \$1.25 |
| VANILLA WAFERS | | PICKLES IN GLASS | |
| 2 pounds | 25c | A 10c bottle of mixed or | |
| SODA CRACKERS | | plain pickles | 5c |
| 4 pounds | 25c | Per dozen | 50c |
| GINGER SNAPS | | Salt Fish | |
| 4 pounds | 25c | Large thick whole | |
| | | Cod fish, lb. | 10c |
| | | Fat Herring, doz. | 35c |
| | | Mackerel, each | 10c |

HAXBY. of course

Our Motto: A Quick Dime Beats a Lazy Quarter.

The Secret of Our Clothing

"Detail" is the secret of the wonderful wearing qualities of our clothing. Every strain-point is strengthened. The seams are braided, the buttons are reinforced, the collars are hand-made, making it impossible for any garment to sag or get out of shape no matter how hard the service.

Style correct. Fit and durability to suit you exactly.

| | |
|---------------------------|--------------------|
| Try one of our Suits | \$7.50 to \$25.00 |
| Try one of our Top Coats | \$10.00 to \$22.50 |
| Try one of our Rain-coats | \$12.50 to \$25.00 |

Our Spring line of Shirts and Hats is Now In

Large Assortment. Best Quality

| | |
|-----------|------------------|
| Shirts | 50c to \$5.00 |
| Underwear | 50c to \$2.00 |
| Hats | \$1.00 to \$5.00 |

JNO. E. BOLAND & CO

29 South Side Square



THE FINEST
OF CLOTHING
READY TO WEAR



IT PAYS
TO BUY
OUR KIND

FLOUR

White Lily

\$1.25

Per Sack of 50 lbs.

Ask your grocer for this brand or get it at the

BROOK MILL

Phones 240



CAN'T YOU SEE

Dentistry is such an important question that it is surprising you do not realize your needs in this line. We not only extract hopeless teeth, but make perfect the salvage ones. Our attention and our advice will insure your satisfaction. We use the Rolland, or French apparatus, the only perfect system for painless extraction.

H. L. GRISWOLD, Dentist.
W. Side Sq., over Russell & Lyon's.

GREAT PROPOSITION!

Choice Morgan County Land

The Jerry Cox farm, seven miles southeast of Jacksonville, one and a half miles from Pisgah, three miles from Arnold and Orleans. 500 acres; 500 acres perfectly level; all but 120 acres in grass for over forty years. Will be divided into tracts to suit purchasers.

Possession to be given at once. The owner is here for a few days and if we do not sell before he leaves this farm will be taken off the market.

F. L. Hargrove

Over Dunlap-Russell Bank
Both Phones

22 lbs. or Cane Granulated Sugar for \$1.00

With ONE DOLLAR's worth of the following goods (cash sale): National baking powder, 25c lb.; 20c to 25c coffee; extracts, spices, best tea. NATIONAL BAKING CO., 211 East State St., S. E. Irvin, Proprietor. Both phones.

FOR SALE

400 Aero Prairie Farm, well tiled, in best condition, conveniently located in fine neighborhood, with two sets improvements in excellent shape, 12 miles from Jacksonville, 4 miles from good town and 9 miles from station.

Frank J. Heinl

No. 19 Morrison Block

City and County

John Moss represented Concord in the city yesterday.

You can save money on spring suits. See H. Johnson, the tailor. E. O. Turner was a business caller in Chapin Saturday.

Better collars for men are sold by Frank Byrns, 2 for 25c.

William Rees represented Franklin in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Clyde Moffatt was down from Springfield yesterday.

John Boruff and wife were up from Murrayville yesterday.

Miss Grace Hill of Franklin visited in the city Saturday.

See Hale for good oak wood.

A. M. Calhoun was in from Franklin Saturday on business.

C. L. Flemming of St. Louis was a caller in the city Saturday.

Charles French was up from Chapin Saturday on business.

All judges of clothing are surprised at the excellent quality of the \$15 suits made by the JACKSONVILLE TAILORING COMPANY.

John Davenport of Pisgah made a call to the city Saturday.

Marcus Hight represented Orleans in the city yesterday.

29 PIECE BREAKFAST SET MONDAY AT RAYHILL'S, \$1.80.

Miss Bessie Hart of Waverly was a caller in the city Saturday.

Miss Emma Wood of Pisgah was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Henry McDivitt was a caller from Franklin to the city Saturday.

Miss Mary Beckmann of Pisgah was a shopper in the city Saturday.

See J. J. Mallen & Son's brand new line of pictures and picture frames.

Miss Mayme Angle, of Roodhouse, is visiting friends in the city.

Dennis Whalen, of Franklin, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Dr. Wesner, of Murrayville, was a visitor to the city Saturday.

Charles Williamson of Concord was a caller to the city Saturday.

Rustic pottery, Rayhill's.

Thomas Brooks of Pisgah spent Saturday in the city on business.

John Martin was in from Literberry yesterday on business interests.

Hon. W. H. Hinrichsen, of Alexander, was a city caller yesterday.

If you want good dry oak wood, don't fail to see Hale.

William Pfeil and Ed Hierman were in from Arenzville yesterday.

Ison Seymour of Franklin transacted business in the city Saturday.

Samuel Crum of Literberry made a business call to the city yesterday.

SECRET 7 KILLS URIC ACID.

W. W. Robinson of Orleans transacted business in the city Saturday.

Dr. L. J. Harvey, of Griggsville, was a business visitor here Saturday.

George Huffaker, of New Berlin, was a Saturday trader in the city.

William Malicout of Cracker's Bend was a trader in the city yesterday.

A hot water bottle insures warm feet at night. Special 2-quart bottle, 98c. Armstrong's Drug Store.

Charles Beaumeister was a caller from the Bend neighborhood Saturday.

Newton Reinback of Franklin spent yesterday in the city on business.

Eugene and Frank Hart of Sinclair were callers to the city Saturday.

THE JACKSONVILLE TAILORING COMPANY is now prepared with a fine line of suitings to comply with the wishes of the most particular person.

W. D. Hitt, of Merritt, was among the business visitors in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Massey of Franklin were callers in the city yesterday.

F. H. McVey, of Literberry, spent Saturday in the city on business interests.

Mrs. Carrie Pinkerton, of Roodhouse, is a guest of Mrs. J. M. Beerup.

50 PIECE DINNER SET MONDAY AT RAYHILL'S, \$3.48.

John Vasey of the Point neighborhood transacted business in the city Saturday.

James Reid of the east part of the county called on local merchants Saturday.

J. J. Mallen & Son will hang your wall paper as cheap as any other firm in the city of Jacksonville.

Miss Golden Berryman of Franklin was a shopping visitor to the city Saturday.

James K. Cunningham was a visitor from Murrayville to the city yesterday.

Mrs. L. C. Henry and Mrs. Frank Kaule have gone to Louisville, Ky., for a visit.

The Yachting, a full brother to the Outing and Touring collars, is the new one which FRANK BYRNS will introduce to the men this week.

Robert Landreth is able to be out again after his recent accident on the Wabash.

T. Samples and H. Mosely were among the callers from Pisgah to the city Saturday.

Robert Silcox of the Bend neighborhood made a business call to the city Saturday.

C. E. Taylor of the vicinity of Woodson attended to business in the city yesterday.

It will pay any person who knows good clothing and material to inspect the superb line of suitings and top coatings just received by the JACKSONVILLE TAILORING CO.

Carl Turley of the Bend neighborhood made a business call to the city yesterday.

Miss Elizabeth Strawn has returned from a visit with Miss Zella Savage at Ashland.

William Barclay, of Virginia, spent Saturday in the city on business interests.

Miss Ella Rentschler, of Concord, is a guest of Mrs. R. E. Martin, of Webster avenue.

\$3.48 MONDAY BUYS A 50 PIECE DECORATED DINNER SET, GOLD TRACED, AT RAYHILL'S.

W. M. Huffman and wife will leave this morning for Chicago to spend three or four days.

Grace church Epworth League will not meet Sunday evening on account of the revival meetings.

Ann Mary Woodman made a trip to Bluffs Saturday to visit her sons, Charles and Henry Oakes.

J. W. Hendricks of Decatur, deputy sheriff of Macon county, was in the city Saturday on business.

A chest protector will help you throw off that cold that has been hanging on all winter; 25 per cent discount. Armstrong's Drug Store.

Miss Nellie Winterbottom was expected down from Springfield to enjoy to day with home friends.

Fred Cowdin returned to his home in Waverly Saturday after attending the teachers' institute in this city.

Edward Laurie of the Prentice neighborhood was among the business visitors to the city Saturday.

Miss Edith Neal, who has been visiting friends in the city, has returned to her home in Murrayville.

SEE THE RUSTIC POTTERY IN OUR WINDOW, RAYHILL.

Mrs. George LaRue and daughter Jean went to Chapin yesterday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Moody.

Mrs. A. J. Harris, of the vicinity of Orleans, has been indisposed for a number of weeks and is slowly improving.

C. G. Weeks, of Knoxville, formerly of this city, is visiting friends here. He expects to leave soon for Calgary, Can.

Dr. George H. Sanford has returned from a hunting expedition in the vicinity of Chandlerville. While absent he was the guest of his esteemed friend, Benjamin Sutton, by whom he was royally entertained though the exceedingly bad weather somewhat hindered the sport.

Embroidery Sale Now in Progress. Substantial Reductions

4 Cans
10c
Corn
25c



10 Bars
Lenox
Soap
25c

Beginning the Last Two Weeks of Our March

Introductory Sales.

Despite inclement weather and almost impassable country roads, our March Introductory Sales have thus far been successful beyond our wildest fancies. The real bargains here offered have attracted hundreds of enthusiastic buyers to 'The Big Store.' We believe that, without a single exception, every person was satisfied with his purchase. These March sales have made hundreds of new friends for 'The Big Store.'

The sales continue for two weeks longer, the discounts in all the various departments continuing as during the past two weeks. We urge all those contemplating the purchase of any of the following lines to make an extra effort to visit this store before making purchases.

Every piece of merchandise in the store is marked in plain figures. Every article sold bears our guarantee of absolute satisfaction or your money back. The various discounts follow:

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|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Furniture: - - 20 per cent | Carpets: - - 20 per cent |
| Dress Goods: 25 per cent | Chinaware: - 20 per cent |
| Underwear: - 50 per cent | Blankets: - - 50 per cent |
| Knit Goods: - 50 per cent | Embroideries: 25 per cent |

SURPRISE PARTY.

On the forenoon of March 16, a merry crowd of friends and neighbors gathered at the pleasant home of Dr. D. N. Harris, of Yatesville, to surprise him on his 52nd birthday anniversary. It was indeed a complete surprise as he knew nothing about it whatever, until all the neighbors came walking in. In commemoration of his birthday, the guests presented to him a handsome rocker, which was given to him by Mr. Thomas Long in the following speech:

"It becomes my pleasant duty on behalf of your many friends and neighbors assembled here to day, to present to you this chair and desire your acceptance of the same. The gift, a memorial of the years you have attained, is presented as a token of the high esteem in which you are held by your many friends and neighbors. May it adorn your home in the future and may you obtain many refreshing hours of rest from its use and may this rest prolong your life until you have reached the allotted age of four score years and ten, is the earnest desire of your friends."

The guests all carried well filled baskets and at the noon hour a feast was prepared to which everybody did ample justice. At a late hour in the afternoon the guests departed to their respective homes, having spent a very delightful day.

Those in attendance were: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Long, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Paul, Mrs. Margaret Samples and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Holmes and son, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Word, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Yancy and daughter, Velma Emerick, Harry Harris, Mr. and Mrs. George Haynes and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Pearson, Miss Frankie McDaniel, Miss Mina Hynes, Mrs. Taylor Willett, Miss Beulah Willett.

A Guest.

BEST COAL

G. W. Stout. Both phones.

STILL ALARM

The hook and ladder wagon was called to the residence of Mrs. Sarah Barnes on West State street about 12:30 Saturday by a still alarm. A burning flue was the trouble, and no damage resulted.

MATHIS, KAMM & SHIBE SAY:

We would be "delighted" to show you the latest novelties in spring footwear.

STRAIT TALK.

Suits to order for men \$15.00 up. Ladies' suits and extra skirts at reasonable prices. West State street, over Heneghan's cigar store. Dodge, The Tailor.

HAD LOVE AFFAIR.

Fulton, Mo., March 17.-J. C. Lloyd, the 22-year-old son of James Lloyd, a prominent farmer living near Millersburg, committed suicide early this morning by taking carbolic acid. Young Lloyd had been living in St. Louis the past two years, being in the employ of the Pullman car works. A love affair is thought to be the cause of the suicide. Yesterday he secured a marriage license to marry Miss Margaretta Bech of St. Louis. The young lady did not come here to be married, as was reported she would. He had been at the New Fulton for several days and acted strangely yesterday and last night.

TO RAISE DEBT.

Bethel A. M. E. church will have a rally May 6 to cancel their mortgage note with the Building and Loan association.

CHOIR RECITAL.

This evening at 8 the public is cordially invited to attend a musical given by the choir of Mt. Emory Baptist church, corner of South Church and Marion streets. The best talent of the city will be represented in the singers.

Robert's laundry. None better.

Hattie Mosley, Chorister.

J. W. YORK

HIGH GRADE COAL

Hard Coal

Soft Coal

Blacksmith's Coal guaranteed none better.

Prompt Delivery

If you are buying see us

A New Cash Price List

| | |
|---|------|
| 4 cans Sugar Corn | 25c |
| 3 2-lb. cans Tomatoes | 25c |
| 3 2-lb. cans Early June Peas | 25c |
| 3 2-lb. cans Sifted Early June Peas | 25c |
| 3 1-lb. cans Pink Salmon | 25c |
| 3 1-lb. cans Red Salmon | 25c |
| 3-lb. can finest Ideal Lemon Cling or Sliced Peaches for Canning | 25c |
| 3-lb. can Heavy Syrup Yellow Crawford, Cash Mark Lemon Cling Peaches, 20c each or 3 for | 50c |
| 3-lb. can Ideal White Cherries | 25c |
| 3-lb. can Cash Mark White Cherries, 20c each or 3 cans for | 50c |
| 3-lb. can Heavy Syrup Table Peaches, 1 gallon Peaches | 25c |
| 3 3-lb. cans Table Apples | 25c |
| Finest Java and Mocha coffee, per lb. | 20c |
| Finest Old Government Java Coffee, per lb., 30c; 3 lbs. for | 1.00 |
| Good Rio Coffee, per lb. | 15c |
| Finest Gunpowder Tea, per lb. | 50c |
| Finest Young Hyson Tea, per lb. | 50c |
| Choice Imperial and Hyson Tea, lb. | 25c |

Take advantage of these Cash Prices while they last.

R. R. Chambers' Cash Store

215 South Main Street.

Another Big Firm Closes Its Doors.

A shortage in the accounts is said to be the cause of a great many firms, partnerships and small dealers going out of business, and the above headline is one we read every day. If you should have your books examined by a competent party you would be surprised to find the state of your business. Often an examination and reorganization of a set of books saves a man from ruin.

Let us quote you terms and show you how others have saved themselves from the jaws of debt.

MARCUS HOOK CO.

Boddy & Gibbs

231 W. State Street.

We Quote You

| | |
|---|------------|
| Topmost white cherries | 30c |
| Topmost sliced peaches | 30c |
| Topmost lemon cling peaches | 30c |
| Topmost yellow Crawford peaches | 25c |
| Topmost apricots | 25c |
| Topmost blueberries | 15c |
| Topmost corn | 15c |
| Topmost spinach | 20c |
| Topmost baby beets | 15c |
| Topmost kidney beans | 12 1/2c |
| Topmost extra fine peas | 30c |
| Topmost sweet wrinkled peas | 15c |
| Topmost Early Jule peas | 35c |
| Topmost Tomatoes, large can | 20c |
| Topmost Queen Olives, 15c, 25c, 50c and | 45c |
| Topmost salmon | 15 and 20c |

These goods are the highest excellence achieved and we guarantee every can of them.

Bell phone 270, Ill. 161.

Phelps & Osborne

New Tailored Suits

Modestly Priced.



They are typical, both in attractiveness and value. Inspection of them in the splendid array of new effects will satisfy you this is an excellent time to purchase.

Bolero Blouse Suits, \$15 to \$25.

New Pony Suits, \$12.50 to \$25.

Coat Values of Real Importance.

A display of incomparable range and quality. You should see the beautiful pony coats so very popular this season, in the different tones in new fabrics—West End Tweeds, London Mixed, Costume Cloth. All the new shapes and styles of ladies' and misses' coats in long and short lengths. MODESTLY PRICED.

New Skirts of Inimitable Style.

Modes that well illustrate the commanding position of this section. These are styles that will not be duplicated at these prices later in the season. All the new spring shades popularly and modestly priced.

SPECIAL PRICES in Basement on Granite ware, Japanned Waiter, Laces and Linen Towels.

Spring Suitings

We are showing a particularly choice collection of suitings, mostly foreign manufacture, many adapted for immediate use. We invite our friends to an early inspection of these goods.

In our furnishing department we are showing the early styles in Hats, Shirts and Neckwear at prices that will sell them.

A. WEIHL, TAILOR

Bound to Get Rid of Our California Stock of Canned Goods.

To clean up the remainder of our stock, we will sell as long as they last.

3-lb can of fancy Lemon Cling or Yellow Crawford Peaches or Apricots.

3 Cans for 50c

These are regular 25c per can, new goods, full weight and heavy syrup.

ZELL'S Grocery

EAST STATE STREET.

Tom H. Buckthorpe

RENTS, INSURANCE MONEY LOANED

For Spring Sales List Your Property with me.

Tom H. Buckthorpe

Call At Spot Cash Market For Prices On Garden Seeds, Onion Sets And Fancy Seed Potatoes.

WATSON LECK



Study Our Coal

and you will easily understand why it gives such unvarying satisfaction. It is always clean and is at all times priced as low as is possible under existing conditions. If you use coal in large quantities you will find our coal and our terms very satisfactory.

HARRIGAN BROS

401 N. Sandy St. Either Phone 9.

Daily Journal 10c a week

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of sheriff, subject to the approval of the Republicans at the primaries and in convention.

CHARLES R. GRAPE.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for the office of county clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican voters in primaries and convention.

JAMES S. MERRILL.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of county judge of Morgan county, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election, to be held April 23, 1900, and the convention following.

W. M. MORRISSEY.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of county superintendent of schools of Morgan county, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election to be held April 23, 1900.

M. L. TREST.

FOR ASSESSOR AND TREASURER.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for the office of assessor and treasurer of Morgan county, Illinois, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election.

J. W. McALLISTER, JR.

U. C. T. ELECT OFFICERS.

The United Commercial Travelers met in their hall on the north side of the square Saturday evening for the election of officers and the transaction of other business. Officers were elected as follows:

Senior Counselor—R. S. Fanning.
Junior Counselor—E. J. Merriman.
Past Counselor—Jus. Heneghan.
Secretary—C. F. Ethie.
Conductor—F. C. Taylor.
Page—P. G. Capps.
Sentinel—R. R. Woods.
Executive Committee—George W. Sorrells, W. H. Ferris, for one year; E. W. Rockwell, H. S. Nelson, for two years.

Chaplain—W. H. Ferris.
The following new members were voted into the organization: W. H. Waters, James H. Conover, Charles Moore and P. Bonhusing.

LISTEN TO US.

We sell only such pianos as are built on the 20th century basis. We sell only such pianos as we can guarantee to give perfect satisfaction. We believe in progress and we solicit the patronage of progressive people. We invite a comparison of prices before purchasing elsewhere. Bruce & Co., 333 West State street.

ST. PATRICK.

Saturday was St. Patrick's day and the number of those wearing the shamrock or some other emblem of the green was, perhaps, greater than in any previous year. The popularity of this patron saint of Ireland appears to grow as the years pass by, and the recognition of the day continually becomes more general. Although many perhaps wear the green thoughtlessly, others remember that St. Patrick was the distinguished missionary of the fifth century, who, during his lifetime, founded 35 churches and baptized with his own hand 12,000 persons, ending a life of devotion to his God and the people of Ireland in about the year 461. The many myths which have been built about this historic character have made him one of the most interesting of all time.

The day was observed generally by means of little devices at social functions, by the wearing of the emblematic shamrock, and in various other ways. The memory of statesmen and scholars, of rulers and churchmen, may fade from the minds of the people, but St. Patrick will live forever.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY ENTERTAINMENT.

The annual St. Patrick's Day entertainment will be given in Liberty hall this evening at 7:30 o'clock. The vespers services at the Church of Our Savior usually held at that hour, will be held at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

BISHOP MACK.

Bishop A. Mack, D. D., of Kansas City, Mo., will preach at Mt. Emory Baptist church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

For desirable ladies' stocks, dickers, side and back combs and hand bags at popular prices go to Herman's.

WILL MEET MONDAY.

The board of county commissioners will convene Monday for their regular quarterly session.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richardson, of the Point neighborhood, were in the city shopping yesterday.

THE BIRTH RECORD.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter White, of North Main street, Sunday morning, a daughter.

Miss May White, of Decatur, was expected in the city last night for a visit of several days with Mrs. Phil Grammer.

STATE CONVENTION DATE.

Springfield, Ill., March 15.—The Republican state convention will be held May 14th at Springfield to nominate the state ticket.

VIKSBURG AFTER MANAGER BELT

Latter Declares, However, He Is Here to Stay—Changes to be Made in West Side Grounds—New Grand Stand.

There was considerable discussion Saturday among the fans over the possibility of Manager Belt of the Jacksonville baseball team being compelled to give up the team and return to his place in the Cotton States league, where he served last year as manager and catcher for the Vicksburg team. It was reported that he had received orders from the present manager of the team to report at a near date, and that he might be compelled to do so.

Mr. Belt stated Saturday night that he had had considerable correspondence with the Vicksburg manager, and that he had received word to report at Vicksburg. He said, however, that he considered it simply a bluff on the part of that team. Each contract signed in the league calls for a return to the team, if desired, for three years. Notification, however, must be made in September prior to the opening of the season, and as such notice was not given in this case, the contract ceases to be binding. Another reason why Belt considers the move a bluff is the fact that Vicksburg has already secured a new manager, and it is not to be supposed that they would take Belt back and pay him the same money for catching and managing, and if all other conditions were complied with, a reduction in salary would be sufficient excuse for breaking the contract.

Belt says he is with Jacksonville to stay. He has put his case in the hands of Secretary Farrell of the Minor League Protective association, and feels confident of the success of his protest against being pulled back south. Improvements will begin at the West Side park as soon as the weather will permit. The diamond will not be turned as was at first supposed, on account of the expense that would be involved. The old grand stand will be repaired, and beginning just south of this, will be built a semi-circular grand stand behind the plate. The bleachers will be rebuilt and the diamond will be enclosed, so the fans will have to keep to their seats. Alderman Joseph Goveia has been given the contract. Grading will be done where necessary, and there will be a man constantly in charge of the grounds.

JUNE WEATHER IN JANUARY.

Now is a splendid time to investigate the advantages of the XXth Century warm air generator and learn its many strong features. We're anxious to tell you about the XXth Century advantages and explain them to you so you cannot help but see that they are practical advantages, not merely theory. The everlasting, air cooled fire pot, the only furnace made which successfully burns coal dust, slack, pen coal, nut coal, hard coal, coke and wood—the only real gas, soot and smoke consuming furnace in the world.

The XXth Century has no clean-out doors. It never needs cleaning out for it is in every sense a self-cleaning furnace.

By our patented air draft in the rear of the furnace, the air is conveyed to the fire through a separate compartment, up through the slotted fire pot into the fire, thereby perfectly consuming all the heavy gases, smoke and soot. The XXth Century fire pot causes perfect combustion and for this reason the XXth Century furnace is the world's best.

Coal strikes do not affect users of this furnace, for it will burn anything. It is not a one fuel furnace.

Our furnace work is second to none. We employ only skilled mechanics and by using the best material we naturally give our customers a first class heating job in every respect. Our work when finished has the "ear marks" of superiority.

The XXth Century furnace to day is successfully heating many of the largest residences in Jacksonville and Morgan county. As one of our customers told us, "he could heat almost all of Jacksonville if he could get it under one roof." This may sound exaggerated, but we are heating the tabernacle with two of our medium sized furnaces and there are as many cubic feet in the building as there are in ten ordinary eight room residences.

Our XXth Century strong points are—economical consumption of fuel, a summer home in zero weather, a clean house without the smoky and gas smell, no dust arising from the furnace which would naturally enter the living rooms, money saved by having a clean home on account of using a XXth Century heater, and a five (5) year guaranteed fire pot.

Give us your order now for heating the new residence you intend to erect this coming spring or summer, or if you have an old coal eater that burns lots of fuel, makes big coal bills and gives little results, cut it out, put in a XXth Century and save money. We remain, yours very truly,

Brady Bros. Hardware Co.

Robert's laundry Ill 'phone 1219

MISSIONARY ADDRESS.
Miss Frances Patterson, a missionary from China, will speak at the Congregational church Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The public is invited to attend.

F. O. and T. M. Turner made a business trip to Morgan Saturday.

In Society.

Mrs. Lucy Allen entertained her Sunday school class of Centenary church Friday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilder on East State street, at a St. Patrick's party. The refreshments and decorations were in green as far as possible, and the effect was very pleasing and unique. A number of guessing games were played, and prizes were won by Miss Minnie Anderson and Dr. Wilder. The contests excited much merriment.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Reeve entertained a company of sixteen Saturday evening at a 6 o'clock dinner for Mr. Reeve's brother, Thomas B. Reeve, of Kansas City, who leaves soon for Milwaukee. The event was a very pleasant one for all the guests.

Rev. J. L. Wylder, field secretary of Illinois college, entertained the members of the joint debate teams of Sigma Pi and Phi Alpha societies at dinner at the Talbot cafe Saturday evening. Those present were: W. T. Harmon, C. A. Carriel and F. S. McKinney, of Sigma Pi; Howard Brown, W. L. Hurie and Tom Angorstein, of Phi Alpha. President Raminelcamp and Rev. J. L. Wylder.

The junior preps of the Illinois Woman's college entertained the senior preps Saturday at a St. Patrick's Day party. The senior colors are red and green, and these were used with very pretty effect in the decorations, the combinations being very unique and attractive.

Miss Louise Huffaker entertained the Sewing Club Saturday afternoon. Nine members were present and all report an enjoyable time.

Miss Minnie Bealmeier, of Sinclair, was among the Saturday visitors in the city. She was the guest of Miss Cora Haneline during the day.

BIJOU THEATRE

WEST STATE ST. High Class Vaudeville

For Ladies, Children and Gentlemen. Nothing But the Best.

Six Big Acts Every Day, Beginning Monday, March 19.

The following will be the great vaudeville bill for the opening week:

Musical Toys.
Comedy Novelty Musical Artists.
Mack & Lugat, in their comedy sketch: "A Strenuous Strain."
"Mrs. Van Beauty with a Jealous Husband."
Maxieas & Maxieas—Novelty Dog Act.
Marion Livingstone—Singing and Spanish Dancing.
Illustrated songs by Mr. Will Happy.
Latest Moving Pictures.

The Bijou Theatre

West State St.

Matinee daily at 2:30; admission 10 cents. Evening performances at 8 and 9:15. Admission 10 and 20 cents.

OPERA HOUSE

Wednesday, March 21.

Ushers' Benefit

Mr. Charles E. Grapevine

In George V. Hobart's American Farce Comedy with Music

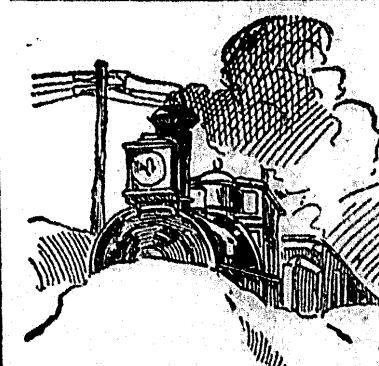
It's Up to You,

John Henry

With a Cast of 50 Fun-making Foot-light Favorites.

The entire receipts on this night will be donated to the ushers.

Seat sale opens Monday at 8 a. m. Prices: 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.



STUCK

We have been snowed under with business, but are making good headway. Everybody wants our ATHENS coal because it burns right—never goes out and always gives satisfaction. Send us in your order. \$5.50 per ton delivered.

U. J. HALE

Coal and Wood

Uptown Office, 216 West State St.

Frank's
DRY GOODS & NOTIONS
HOCKENHULL BLDG. JACKSONVILLE, ILL.

Dainty New Shirt Waists of

Sheer White Materials

THIS DEPARTMENT offers for your inspection this week the most complete assortment of correct styles in Lingerie Waists we have yet shown.

Some of the recent arrivals are mentioned owing to the exceptional lowness of the prices.



No. 1015 Made as Above

of sheer Persian Lawn, wide embroidered band, front and side tucks. A special value at \$1.25

75c WAISTS AT 50c

Embroidery trimmed, band front, of fine lawn, neatly tucked and made. This week 50c

No. 1047 Made as Above

Fancy yoke effect, trimmed with embroidery and Valenciennes lace, of fine quality material. Special at \$1.25

NEW CHECKED SILKS

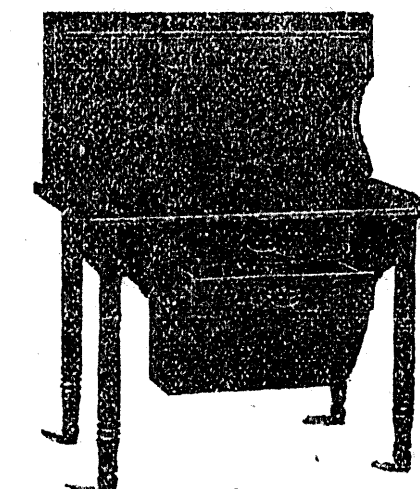
The new neat checked suitings in black and white, blue and white, brown and white, full 19 inches wide; a very special offering for This week 50c

SPRING WEIGHT UNDERWEAR

The spring weights are now on sale in complete sizes and all qualities. WOMEN'S LONG SLEEVED VESTS of fine white yarn, neatly trimmed. The garment 25c

KITCHEN

CABINETS



KITCHEN CABINETS

We are making a special display of Kitchen Cabinets this week and we can show you a very large and complete assortment.

Cabinet size, top 4 ft. x 26 in., 2 flour bins, 2 drawers, 1 dough board.

Price.....\$ 5.50

Cabinet size, top 48 in. x 26 in., 2 bins, 2 drawers, 2 kneading boards.

Price.....6.00

Cabinet size, base and top.....17.00

Cabinet size, base and top.....16.00

Cabinet size, base and top.....10.00

We are agents for the McDougall Cabinet, ranging in price from \$15.75 to \$45.00.

Galbraith
Furniture & Carpet Co.

L. L. Unbleached Muslin

5c

Blackburn-Floreth Co.

Table Oilcloth, the Best

15c

FRUIT LONSDALE BLACKSTONE HILL HOPE

36-Inch Bleached Muslin

8c Yard

Standard Calicoes—Light and dark Indigos, black and white, silver grey. Per yard 5c

Apron Gingham—Good quality. Per yard 5c

Every Dept. Ready for Spring

Our preparation for spring by far exceeds any of our former efforts, although in some lines we have already been compelled to replenish. We can now announce completeness of spring stocks. Everything that is new for spring you will find here.

NEW DRESS GOODS

in all the new spring colors includ-

ing greys and shepherd checks that are so popular now; 36 to 58 inches wide from 50c to \$1.75

NEW DRESS SILKS

36 inch plain and changeable colors; are all wool fabrics.

Per yard \$1.00

36 inch Black Taffeta Silk, wear guaranteed, per yard

\$1.25 and \$1.00

NEW WHITE GOODS

French Lawns, Persian Lawns, Nainsooks, India Linon,

Plain white Linens and Ducks, for shirt waist suits, at our popular low cash prices. See them before you buy.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

EASTER COMES APRIL 15th.

Don't delay that new Easter hat. Make your selection early. Our stock is now at its best. Here you will find the choicest of styles made in our own work room. Also

The Gage Hat.

The Keith Hat.

The Fisk Hat.

at prices that are right and much lower than others.

BLACKBURN-FLORETH CO.

City and County

Wanted—Pressing and repairing at Johnson's, 233 1/2 West State street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Corrington and Miss Mamie Thompson, from the vicinity of Alexander, were in the city Saturday.

The Jacksonville Tailoring company is preparing a handsome electric sign to hang in front of their place of business.

Mrs. Benjamin Gibbs and Miss Ethel Coulas, both of Scott county, are visiting Mrs. John Gibbs on South Main street.

Phone your next order to Ring's for groceries and choice meats. Corner of East North and Maudaister streets. Both phones.

Miss Minna Ruxant has returned to her home in Concord after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. F. T. Eison, of this city.

It will be an act of wisdom to go soon to the JACKSONVILLE TAILORING COMPANY and leave your order for a spring or summer suit. It is of the best quality.

S. L. Gottschall and wife have returned home from Franklin after a visit with their mother, Mrs. Anna Gottschall, who is ill.

Try Ethie's salted peanuts.

J. E. Osborne and R. D. Rimber were among the Murraysville visitors in the city Saturday and made the Journal office a pleasant call.

Misses Cora and Nellie Hatfield, of Curran, who have been the guests of Miss Edith Johnson, expect to return to their homes to day.

L. A. Cummings of St. Louis, a representative of the Winchester Repeating Arms company, was a business visitor in the city Saturday.

J. J. Mallen & Son carry a full line of mixed paints, floor stains, floor wax, varnishes, etc.

H. B. Samuels, of Easton, Mason county, spent Saturday in the city greeting his friends. He is on his way home from Indian Territory.

Miss Pattie Whitlock has ended a visit with friends in the country and has returned to her duties in the popular millinery store of J. Herman.

RAYHILL FOR RUSTIC POTTERY.

Charles Schermerhorn, of Springfield, Democratic candidate for the nomination for the house of repre-

sentatives, was a visitor in the city Saturday.

Fresh taffy daily; Ethie's.

Miss Josephine Ross returned last evening from a two days' visit with friends in Virginia.

George Brown and Henry Buck of Scottville, were business callers in the city Saturday.

Mrs. David Shaff and daughter, Miss Cecil, of Michigan, are guests of Mrs. Shaff's sister, Mrs. George Creamer, of South Prairie street.

Miss Nellie Magill, who recently underwent a serious operation, is reported as getting along as well as could be expected and her condition remained about the same Saturday.

Alonso Barrows, of Yankton, S. D., is expected in the city in a few days. He may decide to make this city his former home, his place of residence again.

Miss Ella E. Ross, assistant principal and instructor in Latin and natural sciences at the Virginia high school, is spending Sunday with relatives here.

Don't put off ordering your spring suits till the weather gets uncomfortably warm, but go to the JACKSONVILLE TAILORING COMPANY in good time before they get so busy and have your measure taken for a suit. The company is opposite the Pacific Hotel.

Squire James Smith, of Cracker's Bend, returned home yesterday after a day or two spent in the city, during which he enjoyed the revival services at the tabernacle.

J. J. Mallen & Son carry the finest line of imported and domestic wall paper ever shown in the city.

The Carrollton Gazette says that Dr. E. E. Peters, of Whitehall, is seeking the endorsement of the Republicans of Greene county for minority representative.

Ethie's candies are pure.

Mrs. G. H. Whitcomb, of St. Louis, who has been the guest of relatives in the city, will return home this morning, accompanied by her niece, Miss Mabel Henderson.

SMITH & REEVE hang paper as it should be hung. Best of grades at lowest prices.

Mrs. John H. McFarlin underwent an operation at Our Savior's hospital a few days ago and is getting along and improving daily as well as could be expected.

MONDAY AT RAYHILL'S \$1.89 BUY A 25 PIECE BREAKFAST SET, DECORATED AND GOLD TRACED.

Mrs. Fred H. Rehlander has returned to her home in Lincoln, Neb., after a three weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Tremblett, of North Church street.

Ethie's pan enamels are superb.

T. B. Sweet, of Topeka, Kans., is a business visitor in the city. He formerly resided in Jacksonville, but left here for the west in the seventies. He was cordially greeted by many friends.

SMITH & REEVE are prepared to do your painting (inside or out), papering, furniture re-finishing (better than new) and picture framing, cheap and as it should be done. Call by either phone.

O. E. Van Winkle, of Butte, Mont., is here for a visit with his aunt, Mrs. M. Sargent, and other relatives in this city and county. He has been in the west six years.

Whenever our telephone bell rings there is evidence of another satisfied customer. Try our telephone service. Armstrong's Drug Store.

Try Ethie's hot drinks.

Among the visitors from Sinclair precinct Saturday were Thomas Harrison, W. T. Fox, Amos Swain, R. W. Emmerson, Phillip Hopper, Thomas Hopper, George A. Wheeler, Arthur Swain and others.

John B. Stetson Co. have supplied their leading dealer with a very nice folder showing the new spring styles of the Stetson Special. This hat is controlled in this market by Frank Byrns.

Get Ethie's Sunday ice cream.

THE DEATH RECORD

ALLEN.

Mrs. J. C. Widenham received a telegram Saturday morning announcing the death of her brother, T. M. Allen, in Los Angeles, Cal. Mr. Allen formerly resided in Jacksonville, and was the son of the late Rev. R. W. Allen, D. D. For twenty years he has made his home in southern California, and for many years has held a very responsible position in the First National bank of Los Angeles. During the past year Mr. Allen has been in failing health, and his death was not unexpected. He is survived by his wife and four sons.

FUNERALS

HOLLOWAY.

The remains of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Holloway were taken to Bluffs Saturday afternoon where funeral services were held, after which interment took place in the Holloway cemetery.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Thursday, March 29, until 9 p. m. our grand spring Easter millinery opening will take place. You are invited to attend and celebrate with us this event and we promise hospitality, welcome and a pleasant visit with us. Jefferies' orchestra has been engaged for the occasion and if you have any troubles you will soon forget them while you are witnessing this gorgeous display of millinery creations. J. Herman, Jacksonville's leading milliner.

NOTICE

The Bijou theatre on West State street will open its season Monday evening, March 19. Refined and high class vaudeville, latest illustrated songs and moving pictures.

The Bijou Amusement company operates six theatres in different cities and their houses are endorsed by pulpits, press and public as a most refined and fit place of amusement for any lady, child or gentleman. Three performances daily; matinee every day. Best seats 10 cents. Night performances 8:00 and 9:20 o'clock, seats 10 and 20 cents.

Children's grand candy matinee Saturday. Everyone will receive a package of sweet goods free.

Blacksmithing. Kilian & Son.

THE WEATHER.

The mercury got on the toboggan early Saturday morning and Geo. H. Hall, U. S. volunteer weather observer at Alexander, reports that the thermometer registered 6 degrees below zero Saturday morning at 6:30 o'clock. A rise in the temperature followed with the appearance of Old Sol and during the day the snow melted rapidly. At noon it was 28 above. March is breaking all records from a weather standpoint and the end is not yet.

L. C. & R. E. Henry, the south side milliners, have received their stock all fresh and new and are ready for any amount of orders.

Special sale on wall paper commencing Monday morning, March 19. About 100 rooms in room lots they retail at 25c to 65c a roll we offer them now from 12 1/2c to 15c. These are bargains and we mean it. Come early and make your selections.

Yours truly,
J. J. Mallen & Son.

LADIES' TAILORS AND DRESS-MAKERS.

We invite the public to our parlors to inspect a sample of our work and our sample line of spring suitings, or parties wishing us to call at their home with a sample of our work, call us by phone, 1039 West College avenue, Bell phone 625-4. S. A. & B. Crofoot.

DR. CONOLEY PREACHED

AT TABERNACLE BEFORE ANOTHER LARGE AUDIENCE.

"Who is on the Lord's Side and Where are You To Night?" was Thought of Speaker Presented With Force and Power.

While none were standing in the rear most of the seats at the tabernacle were taken last night. A short but interesting talk was delivered by Rev. Mr. Conoley which was listened to with great interest. After the song service and a prayer by Rev. Mr. Morey, of State Street Presbyterian church, Mr. Conoley made the announcements for to day and said that instead of having the prayer meeting at the tabernacle this morning at 9:30 it would be held in the Y. M. C. A. building and he hoped that those who did not attend Sunday school at any church would be present at the prayer service.

Rev. Burke Culpepper then said at the afternoon meeting Saturday a large number of boys and girls had come forward and given him their hand, saying if their parents would let them they would join the church. He then extended the invitation for any to come up who wanted to join the Baptist, Presbyterian or Methodist churches and ten came forward. Mr. Conoley then took the platform and said that Dr. Culpepper was not sick, but as he had been out to dinner and supper it had rather overtaken him and he felt that he should stay in so as to be in shape to carry on all of the services Sunday.

Dr. Conoley started his talk by saying: "I am afraid that you will be disappointed, as this is a surprise to me. I will not preach, but will stand here and talk to you. If I was going to preach I would take a text, but to night I am going to talk about 'Who is on the Lord's Side? Where are you to night? It does not take a preacher to stand up here and say there is a great moral conflict going on all the time or a conflict between righteousness and sin. The question is, which side are you on, and who is on the Lord's side? We all agree on so many things that are essential, that it is not very difficult to see on which side we stand. There is nothing truer in all the Bible than that the first commandment is the first one, so is our Lord first, and a man who is on the Lord's side will always put his God first. A man who is on the Lord's side will take the Bible as God's book and practically follow it and its teachings. Jesus Christ brought out that thought. It is one thing to say that you believe in the Bible, but another thing to say you will take it and follow its teachings. I do not believe you could take ten people in this house but what would say that they believe in Jesus Christ, but would you take Christ as your Savior and subject everything to His teachings? Have you come to the place you can say, My Lord and my Savior? Did you ever stop to think how little God requires of you, and how little the good book says it takes to become a good Christian? I tell you what God wants is the open heart and teachable heart. The man who is on the Lord's side will take the church as his representative, work in it and work for it. The men are always finding fault with the church. I declare to you that the church with all its faults is the best thing on earth to day, and the one thing that stands for Jesus Christ.

"The best side is the Lord's side. You can not find a hospital in the country but what has been controlled and supported and kept by the fidelity of the church. The same is true with our colleges. For the uplifting of humanity I tell you it is the best side; you take your chances on any other. Some say there is no hereafter. Well there may be no hell; a man may fall down and die as an ox and that will be the last of him. Nobody knows. People who don't believe in the good book say this is so. Sure there is uncertainty ahead of us; so the only safety is here. If you believe in the good book it gives you enjoyment on earth and you lose nothing by it. When you go into the unknown and into the dark valley, then it will be that you will want someone to extend a helping hand to you. Who will do it, if you do not believe in the Lord? This is the only safe side. Who is on the Lord's side and who will say put me on the Lord's side?"

Mr. Conoley then asked all in the audience who really believed the Lord's side was the only right side to raise their hands. A large number did so.

Rev. Burke Culpepper then said all of those who are not on the Lord's side, but wanted to be, to come forward and shake hands and ask the preachers to pray for them. A large number did, after which the benediction was pronounced.

Ladies will do well to leave their orders for Easter millinery now at Herman's and avoid the rush later.

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A "World of White" AT THE TRADE PALACE

This is the Greatest White Season the World of Fashion has Ever Known.

In giving this "world of white" sale we want to impress you not only with the size and variety of our white stocks and the lowness of the regular and special prices, but also with the preparedness this store always shows in meeting the requirements of fashion in the progress of the world.

Formerly the White Goods Department comprised a very small part in the makeup of the stocks of a Dry Goods Store.

To day every fabric in wash goods, every weave in woolen goods, each and every part of the wearing apparel whether woven or knitted enters into the making of a "world of white." You are bound to need these later if not now.

If we could always sell goods for these prices you'd never have heard a word from us about "special sales." But we can't, and as prices must inevitably return to their normal level the minute this sale comes to an end, you should come here now.

Special Values.

Sheets, Pillow Cases, Muslin Bed Spreads, Embroideries, Laces, Handkerchiefs, Ribbons, Gloves, Muslin Underwear, Linens and Lawns, Wool Batistes, Albatross, Cashmeres, Mohairs, Serges, Acetates, Voiles, Wool Taffetas, Launderings and Danish cloths. Also Hosiery, Corsets, India Linens, Persian Lawns, Mercerized Batistes, Silks, Shirt Waist Suits, Shirt Waists and Lace Curtains.

MONTGOMERY & DEPPE TRADE PALACE.

You have the FLOOR, We have the CARPETS

Long wearing qualities. Attractive designs. Moderate prices. Hemp, Saratoga Cottage, Unions, C. C. and Ex Supers.

20c per yard to 80c per yard.

Quality top notch, prices the lowest.

MATTINGS

You can't help but be interested when you see the beautiful patterns in Fibre Mattings and Rugs. Fibre Mattings, 40c to 60c; straw mattings, 12 1/2c to 35c per yard.

RUGS

All sizes. All prices. All styles. All good.

LINOLEUMS

Must have been invented to save women from scrubbing their life away. See our stock. Florals, tile, granite, Inlaid and plain.

Special Sale on Lace Curtains

Large reductions in prices this week. Come early and get a RARE BARGAIN.

Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie

The East Side Housefurnishers

F. J. WADDELL & CO. O. K. STORE

Beautiful Laces and Embroideries

Fashion's most pronounced favorites for the coming Spring and Summer season are the dainty laces and embroideries which will be used so extensively.

Lingerie waists and whole dresses and elaborate trimmings are being made now both of the laces and embroideries, which we are showing in beautiful new designs and in exquisite qualities, in narrow and wide bands, insertions, edges, galloons, medallions, in match sets, in wide all overs and flouncings.

Shimmering Silks for Spring

From the inexpensive lining silks to some extravagant novelties, including the new grays and Alice blues in small tailor checks and stripes. All the new shades in plain colored, soft chiffon finished silks, light weight Jap silks in black and white, Pongee silks in natural color and fancy shades, rich black dress silks in many weaves, beautiful crepe de chine and radium messalines for evening wear, the new Adria dress silks, exceedingly soft, in rich colorings. Skinner's lining satins and 50 new shades of plain taffetas.

NEW HAND BAGS AND BELTS

NEW VEILINGS AND FANCY COMBS

NEW TOPSY STOCKINGS NOW READY

"HOT STUFF"



A Man With a Small Coal Bill.

The man who has a small coal bill, but has kept his house warm and comfortable as well as isn't a magician—he simply filled his bins with GATES' "Ideal Coal."

A free burning coal, the best fuel.

R. A. Gates & Son

Phones: Bell, 1803; Ill., 10.

Our Store is Attractive on account of the Elegant Display of

Spring Styles in Ladies' and Gents' Footwear.

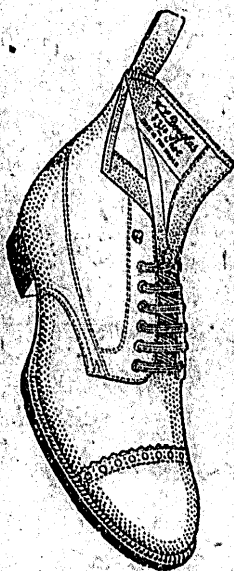
In quality, price and fit we aim to please everybody.

Hillerby, Vickery & Brady

(THE THREE GEORGES)

Strawn's Block,

South Side Square



THE PLAYER PIANO

is no longer an experiment. Its usefulness and desirability, recognized in the beginning, The energy and push of a large number of manufacturers and capitalists has rapidly led to perfection and already the player is combined with most of the leading pianos and is widely distributed throughout the world. It seems destined largely to supplant the ordinary upright piano. The superior construction and great durability of the STERLING PIANO adapts it especially to the use of the player. We now have the latest improved STERLING PLAYER PIANO and invite you to see and hear it.

W. J. Brown Piano Co

FLOUR AND FEED

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German M. E. church—F. Gruenewald, pastor. No services at this church to day.

Bethel A. M. E. church—James Higgins, pastor. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 9:30 p. m.; Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday evening; class meeting Friday evening. All are welcome.

Salom Evangelical Lutheran church—Rev. H. Hallerberg, pastor. German service in the morning at 10 o'clock; service for the deaf at 2:30 p. m.; English Lutheran service in the evening at 7:30 o'clock, subject of sermon, "Christ, the Crucified—The Lord of Glory." All welcome. German Lutheran service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Brooklyn M. E. church—W. H. Musgrave, pastor. On account of the union meetings in the tabernacle, there will be no services in this church to day.

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Regular services are held in the Ward building, 221 West Morgan street. Sunday morning service at 11 o'clock, subject, "Reality"; Sunday school at 10 a. m.; Wednesday evening service at 7:45. Reading room open each week day from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. All are cordially invited.

Centenary M. E. church—William H. Wilder, pastor. On account of the tabernacle meetings the Sunday school will meet fifteen minutes earlier, that is, at 9:30 instead of 9:45. The Junior league will meet at 1:30 instead of 3 p. m. A full attendance is expected.

State Street Presbyterian church—A. B. Morrey, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; all other services in the tabernacle at 10:45 a. m., 3 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Westminster Presbyterian church, corner West College avenue and Westminster street—Rev. Charles M. Brown, D. D., minister. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning and every other service in the tabernacle.

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Christian church—Russell F. Thrapp, pastor. Bible school meets at 9:30 a. m. and reviews lessons for the first quarter; public worship at 10:45 a. m.; evening service at 7:30, with evangelistic sermon by William W. Wharton; subject, "Jesus Christ, Prophet, Priest and King."

First Baptist church—T. H. Marsh, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. All other services at the tabernacle.

Second Christian church, corner Anna and South West streets—E. M. Harris, pastor. Rev. George Campbell of Nashville, Tenn., will preach at 11 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. Mr. Campbell is said to be a very able minister and it is expected that he will preach each evening this week. Everybody welcome.

CHICKEN THIEVES.
Editor Journal: Numerous readers of your paper have requested that I furnish a few letters for the Journal, and as you have good local help it would not be the proper thing to hunt up locals, as in days gone by. So I thought the above heading would be an appropriate subject.

There has been great rejoicing the past week that our police have arrested some parties that have been stealing chickens. I presume every person in this city that owns any poultry has rejoiced at the capture of said parties. Now I believe a large number of persons raising poultry are just as glibly of theft as those parties now in jail. Let us explain: Last autumn a party came to me and said he wanted that I write a stinging article against graft practiced in this city. I called for some specific note or data to base an article on, but he could not give it—said it was not necessary; everybody knows it. I remarked if everybody knew it, there was no occasion to write it. I

asked him this question: Would not 50 per cent. of the men in Jacksonville as bad of worse than those now in power. He seemed indignant that I could assume such a thing. I replied to him in this way: A few weeks since a party came to me to buy a hundred of tomatoes. I told him having as much ground as he had, he ought to have tomatoes to sell. He said: I planted a hundred and they have profusely, but my neighbor, Mr. —, had about seventy chickens that lived in my garden and we could not get enough tomatoes for our own use. His chickens ate nearly all my sweet corn and half my potatoes, and that he had gone repeatedly and requested you keep them up. You see that was you he was alluding to. And I replied: I think any man knowingly who will permit his chickens to ruin his neighbor's garden is the meanest kind of a scoundrel. He said: Well, you are just all talk, and left me wondering what constituted a theft.

If Mr. A's chickens gather my vegetables, or Mr. B's chickens eat my corn and carry them home, is there any difference in the theft? Yes, there is. If the children pluck twenty nice ripe tomatoes and take them home, I am only damaged twenty tomatoes; if a drove of chickens go in their peck and destroy every ripe tomato and all those thriving vines, and any man or woman guilty of allowing chickens to become thieves is living on other people, damaging ten times more than they eat, in the mind of the writer of this article, where said people make no effort to keep their poultry up—only at night—should have from seals reserved for them on the tabernacle platform; and should never rejoice at the capture of a chicken thief until they reform.

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The State Board of Health has issued a bulletin which contains in a concise form the latest information regarding Consumption. Between 7000 and 8000 die annually from this disease in this state. One out of every four deaths between the ages of 20 and 50 in Illinois are caused by Consumption. The pamphlet says:

"The first symptoms of the disease may be loss of appetite and loss of weight, fatigue on slight exertion, general feeling of languor, lack of energy and ambition, and pulse slower in the afternoon and evening and a cough which is most noticeable in the morning. These are other individuals who are subject to colds, these colds occurring with increasing frequency and each one resisting treatment more stubbornly than the one that preceded it, these attacks leading up to the one which remains. Such an onset is so insidious that the disease is often firmly established before the patient's suspicion as to the nature of his ailment is at all aroused. Many cases of Consumption progress to a serious stage supposed to be 'chronic grippe,' 'chronic malaria' or 'venereal'."

It is a well known fact that many cases of Catarrh and Bronchitis, which degenerate into Consumption and these conditions could have been cured had they been taken in time. The symptoms of Catarrh of the bronchial tubes are identical with those of the first stage of Consumption, and many well known authorities agree that it is almost certain that Consumption, or Tuberculosis, as the disease is properly called, follows Catarrh. The sufferer from Catarrh or Lung Disease of any form should seek at once a certain cure for those diseases.

The State Association for the Prevention and Cure of Tuberculosis says in a circular recently issued:

"Don't waste your money on patent medicines or advertised cures for Consumption, but go to a doctor or a dispensary. If you go in this way you can be cured; if you wait until you are so sick that you cannot work any longer, or until you are very weak, it may be too late; at any rate it will take time and mean more time out of work and more wages lost than if you had taken care of yourself at first."

It is agreed by all that the most important matter in early recognition of the conditions present and prompt treatment. All persons suffering from Catarrh in any form or any Lung Disease, should at once consult a physician who makes a specialty of the treatment of these conditions. By placing your case in his hands you have the advantage of his experience and special equipment which enables him to secure cures in cases which, under ordinary care, most certainly result fatally.

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FOR SALE—Choice building lots on
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South Diamond streets. Harry Heim.

FOR SALE
FOR SALE—A good range plow, cheap,
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FOR SALE
FOR SALE—A good breaking
plow, a diamond plow and good plow.
Apply 1027 South Clay avenue. 17-2f

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FOR SALE—Nice, modern home, two
blocks from square. East State St.
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FOR SALE—New, modern, seven room
house; strictly up-to-date; fine location;
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FOR SALE
FOR SALE—Modern brick residence in the
city; all modern; large grounds; at a
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FOR SALE—Baled or loose timothy hay,
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10-1f

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Works, Illinois' phone 1210. 11-1f

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specialty. 846 North Main St.
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barn, 221 North Main street. Both
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LOST—A fancy necklace, Thursday after-
noon. Finder will receive reward by re-
turning to Galbraith Furniture Co.

LOST RUBBER—The child who got the
wrong rubber at high school Friday eve-
ning will please notify Howard Moore at
615 South Prairie street. 18-2f

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Its pleasant taste and prompt cures
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Remedy a favorite with the mothers of
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cures their coughs and colds
and prevents any danger of
pneumonia or other serious con-
sequences. It not only cures croup,
but when given as soon as the croupy
cough appears will prevent the at-
tack. For sale by all leading drug-
gists.

LEAKY ROOFS.
Many roofs in various parts of the
city are causing property owners con-
siderable difficulty and leaks of a
dangerous character are reported by
many of the owners of business
houses. Saturday afternoon a leak
was discovered in the roof of the
court house and water had driven
through the circuit court room and
was running through the floor of the
latter into the county treasurer's of-
fice.

FOR SIXTY YEARS.
Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has
been used for children teething. It
soothes the child, softens the gums,
allays all pain, cures wind colic and is
the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twen-
ty-five cents a bottle.

SINCLAIR SALE.
A large crowd attended the Sin-
clair sale at Ashland Friday. About
sixty horses and mules were disposed
of and brought good prices. Single
drivers sold as high as \$210; mules
up to \$435 a span; saddlers up to
\$200. Bob Hocking, of St. Louis,
bought five of the best animals.
Charles Judy and Jod Cox were the
auctioneers.

All smart up-to-date women of to
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Know how to bake, wash, sing and
to play;
Without these talents a wife is N. G.
Unless she takes Rocky Mountain
Tea.
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AT THE GRAND.
"A Fight for a Million" was the
closing bill of the Kentford Comedy
Co. at the Grand Saturday evening.
An audience of fair proportions wit-
nessed the production of the play
with much appreciation, and the gal-
lery was more demonstrative than
usual.

The matinee, "A Boy Detective,"
was played to a fair audience.

ALEXANDER, ILLINOIS.
Financial statement of road district
No. 8 for fiscal year ending March 31, 1906.
1906.
March 1—Balance on hand \$ 278.50
Received of H. J. Rodgers, sheriff 3,048.70
Poll tax 138.50
Total \$3,465.50

EXPENDITURES.
Lumber \$ 478.00
Tile and tiling 152.70
Bridges 78.15
Note on grade 95.40
Stationery, etc. 24.35
Rough account 14.35
Office rent 17.45
Albert Pike (poundmaster) 100.00
N. M. Carey (commissioner) 150.00
C. S. Magill (commissioner) 148.85
M. Wiegand (commissioner) 100.00
Road labor 330.28
1906.
March 12—Balance on hand 377.50
Total \$3,465.50

THE MARKETS

Chicago, March 17.
Following is a day's range of grain
prices compiled by Schauble-Oakes Com-
mission Company, 204 West State street.
Phone: Bell, 76; Illinois, 461.

Wheat—Open, High, Low, Today's Value,
May \$ 78 1/2 \$ 78 3/4 \$ 78 1/2 \$ 78 3/4
July 77 3/4 78 1/4 77 3/4 78 1/4
Corn—
May 43 1/2 43 3/4 43 1/2 43 3/4
July 42 3/4 43 1/4 42 3/4 43 1/4
Oats—
May 29 1/2 29 3/4 29 1/2 29 3/4
July 28 3/4 29 1/4 28 3/4 29 1/4
Rye—
May 50 1/2 50 3/4 50 1/2 50 3/4
July 49 3/4 50 1/4 49 3/4 50 1/4
Barley—
May 30 1/2 30 3/4 30 1/2 30 3/4
July 29 3/4 30 1/4 29 3/4 30 1/4

DAILY MARKET LETTER.
Chicago, March 17.—Wheat started a
slight decline on a slight decline in
Liverpool cables and the large Aus-
tralian shipments, but showed a good
tone and fair advance for the balance of
the session. Trade was light throughout
the session. No Western markets, in-
cluding Winnipeg, led the advance. Re-
ports of a better milling demand had
considerable influence upon sentiment.
The cash demand for Minneapolis was sold
to be good, with prices about 1/2c higher.
Labor troubles are reported from Russia.
Corn—Corn was very firm on a light
trading, improving gradually during the
day and closing about the best prices.
The cash situation is back of the present
advance. Receipts are light and spot
values here have advanced faster than
the futures. The spot market was the
higher.

Oats—Oats were very quiet, but steady,
with no particular feature in the trade.
The cash market was unchanged.
Provisions—Renewal of the export de-
mand for lard from Germany was the
important feature in provisions and sent
them to close strong at a fair ad-
vance. Pork and ribs were up a little in
sympathy. The situation on the whole is
very bullish.

SCHAUBLE-OAKES COM. CO.
(By Associated Press.)
Chicago, March 17.—The following shows
amount of grain received at and shipped
from this point:

| | Re- | Ship- |
|--------------|---------|---------|
| | ceipts, | ments, |
| Flour, bbls. | 10,000 | 10,000 |
| Wheat, bu. | 6,000 | 10,000 |
| Corn, bu. | 100,000 | 100,000 |
| Oats, bu. | 100,000 | 25,000 |

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK MARKET.
St. Louis, March 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 300.
The market closed steady. A few good
loads were bought, one lot of newly ar-
rived steers being sold at \$5.00. This was
practically the only trading as compared
with the close a week ago. Prices were
a shade lower, the break the latter part
of the week having been sufficient to take
off all early advances. Receipts were
light, though considerably larger than a
week ago. Estimated for Monday 25,000.
Hogs—Receipts, 10,000. Light supplies
made it easy for hog sellers to advance
prices. There were only 10,000 arrivals
and 4,000 left over, making the small
single day of offerings of the year. Top
price of \$6.47 1/2 was reached. Mixed
and butchers, \$5.65 to \$5.85; good to choice
heavy, \$5.50 to \$5.75; rough heavy, \$5.15 to \$5.30;
light, \$5.15 to \$5.40; bulk of sales, \$5.35 to \$5.40;
pigs, \$5.00 to \$5.15.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET.
Chicago, March 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 300.
The market closed steady. A few good
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LIVERPOOL MARKET.
Liverpool, March 17.—Wheat—Spot nomi-
nal.
Corn—Spot steady; American mixed new
at 18 1/2; old at 18 1/2.

NEW YORK MARKET.
New York, March 17.—Wheat—Receipts,
4,000 bu.; exports, 7,000. Spot steady;
New York 2 1/2c; elevator and 2 1/2c f. b.
basis. Options closed partly 1/2c net
higher.

FINANCIAL MARKET.
New York, March 17.—The slight sag in
gold and silver largely attributable to
inattention, the market having sunk into
a state of practical stagnation. The bank
statement, however, was not considered
to present any large improvement in the
condition of the money market. The cash
item showed a gain of something over a
million. Closing quotations:
Money on call nominal; no loans. Time
loans steady; sixty and ninety days at
5 1/2; six months at 5 3/4 per cent.
Prime paper at 5 1/2 per cent.
Exchange steady. Demand at 45 1/2 to 46;
45 1/2 to 46; 45 1/2 to 46.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.
Registered 28 103 1/2
Coupons 28 104 1/2
Registered 38 103 1/2
Coupons 38 104 1/2
Registered 48 103 1/2
Coupons 48 104 1/2
Registered 48, old 103 1/2
Coupons 48, old 104 1/2
Registered 48, new 103 1/2
Coupons 48, new 104 1/2

NEW YORK STOCKS, MARCH 17.
Report made by S. T. Erison, Room 15,
Hickman building, Illinois telephone,
460; Bell telephone, 502 Y.

Open, High, Low, Close.
Amal. Copper 107 1/2 107 3/4 107 1/2 107 3/4
American Sugar 125 1/2 125 3/4 125 1/2 125 3/4
Aetna 93 93 1/2 93 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio 110 110 1/2 110 1/2
Brooklyn Rap. Tran. 85 85 1/2 85 1/2
Canadian Pacific 170 170 1/2 170 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio 67 67 1/2 67 1/2
C. & M. & St. Paul 175 175 1/2 175 1/2
Colo. Fuel & Iron 62 62 1/2 62 1/2
Erie 125 125 1/2 125 1/2
Louisville & Nash 125 125 1/2 125 1/2
Metropolitan 113 113 1/2 113 1/2
Missouri Pacific 90 90 1/2 90 1/2
N. Y. & Tex. 72 72 1/2 72 1/2
N. Y. C. & West 100 100 1/2 100 1/2
New York Central 145 145 1/2 145 1/2
Pennsylvania 175 175 1/2 175 1/2
People's Gas 95 95 1/2 95 1/2
Reading 125 125 1/2 125 1/2
Rock Island 25 25 1/2 25 1/2
Southern Pacific 65 65 1/2 65 1/2
Southern Railway 41 41 1/2 41 1/2
Tenn. Pac. 34 34 1/2 34 1/2
Union Pacific 123 123 1/2 123 1/2
U. S. Steel 40 40 1/2 40 1/2
V. S. Steel 100 100 1/2 100 1/2
Wabash 22 22 1/2 22 1/2
Chicago Great West. 20 20 1/2 20 1/2

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INDICATIONS.

Washington, March 18. — For Illinois: Fair Sunday and Monday; except rain Monday in south.

ARTS AND CRAFTS EXHIBIT.

The officers of the Art association met at Academy hall Saturday with representatives from the public schools and the different educational institutions of the city, for the purpose of discussing an "Arts and Crafts" exhibit to be held the last week in April, probably at the library. General working plans were laid out and the full list of members of the working committee will be announced later.

A MUSICAL INVITATION.

We want everyone's intent on piano buying to call and let us show them what we can do for them. We have the leading pianos in great variety, and we can please you and save money for you. Large and careful buying means large savings and we divide the saving with you. Bruce & Co., 333 West State street.

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NEW BARBER SHOP.
I have opened a new barber shop in the Scott block, in the basement under the U. S. Express office, where I shall at all times be ready to do the best of work in my line. Prices reasonable and service the best, and shall be glad to see all my friends and former customers.

W. C. Viera.

MATHIS, KAMM & SHIBE SAY:

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No Epworth League meeting at Grace church Sunday evening on account of union meeting.

I. E. Scott, Pres.

SMITH & REEVE will do anything that needs to be done about your house this spring. Call and ask them about it or telephone.

CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

The open meeting of the Monday Conversation club will be held with Mrs. Frank Robertson at Kilmarnock Monday evening at 7:45. It is requested that all invited guests and members be punctual.

An open meeting of the Chaminade Music club will be held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank O'neal, 1244 West College avenue, at 2:30 o'clock. Each active member may invite one guest.

The Woman's Missionary society of State Street church will hold its annual meeting on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence of the pastor.

College Hill club will meet with Mrs. Joy, on Westminster street, Monday, March 19, at 3 p. m.

The Hospital Aid society will meet Thursday, March 22, at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. H. J. Brook, 320 South Diamond street.

The Fortnightly club will meet at 3:45 Thursday afternoon with Mrs. William Wilson, 1312 West State street.

The Literary Union will meet Monday evening with A. T. Capps, Subject, Public Baths in the United States. Leader, A. T. Capps.

The board of directors of the Kindergarten association will hold a business meeting Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. David Reid.

The Ladies' Aid society of Centenary church will meet with Mrs. Goheen, 925 South East street, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30.

The Wednesday Class will meet with Mrs. H. B. Carriel Wednesday at 3 o'clock.

The Bayview circle will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. H. H. O'neal.

The Woman's Aid society of Westminster church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. T. Brown, 138 Sandusky street.

Horseshoeing. Killan & Son.

APPOINTED MANAGER.

The Jacksonville Coal company desires to announce that Mr. L. A. Greenleaf has been secured as manager of the company and will assume his duties at once. The growing demands of the business of this firm has made necessary the employment of a man of extensive experience in this line and in the selection of Mr. Greenleaf the company feels most fortunate. His wide acquaintance in this city and county and his former experience will prove of equal value to his employers and their patrons.

The Jacksonville Coal company is the only firm in the city now offering six inch shaker screen lump at 11c, and your orders will receive prompt attention and quick delivery to any part of the city.

THE EARLY BIRD, ETC.

For a short time only the undersigned will make attractive PRICES on VEHICLES in order to cut down an IMMENSE STOCK. I wish more money and less stock. My wants will be your gain. Come along now quick and make your selection, the price will insure a quick change to money.

Norman Broadwell,
231 and 233 South Main St.

MEDICAL CLUB.

The Jacksonville Medical club met Saturday evening with Dr. Baxter at his residence on West College avenue. Dr. T. J. Pitner presented a very able paper on "Tonsillitis" which was heard with interest.

Everybody invited to attend Herman's Easter millinery opening Thursday, March 29.

MATHIS, KAMM & SHIBE SAY:
Your shoes will keep their shape better if you use shoe trees; ask us about 'em.

On and after March 17 I will be engaged in the grocery business at 482 South Lorton street. The patronage of my friends and well wishers will be gratefully received. Ill. Telephone 1207.

L. B. Strong.

**HORSE FELL
THROUGH BRIDGE****AND SUFFERED BROKEN
LEG — ENGINE DETACH-
ED FROM**

Burlington Train and Animal Pulled to Side Track—Four Other Horses Pursued by Freight Train Crossed Trestle in Safety.

Five horses on the farm of Samuel Bridgeman, residing north of the city, escaped from their keeper as they were being driven across the road from one pasture into another Saturday morning. They ran north and then struck out east on the track of the Jacksonville & Concord railroad. They ran for a mile and a quarter and in attempting to cross a forty-foot trestle, one of the horses fell through and broke its left fore leg. Just as they reached the trestle a freight train caught up with them. The engineer seeing the animals ahead slowed down his train. When he saw the animal fall through the bridge he had his train under such control that he was able to come to a full stop before the bridge was reached. Four of the horses passed over safely and these ran madly on until they came to the road near Charles James' place, when they turned from the right of way and in a few hours showed up again at the Bridgeman farm.

The poor unfortunate horse that fell presented a quandary for the trainmen. An examination showed that the left fore leg was broken just above the knee and that the bone was protruding four inches through the flesh. It was finally decided that the animal must be removed from the track and a heavy rope was fastened around its hind quarters and by means of the engine which was disconnected from the train, the poor beast was dragged from the bridge and laid on the side of the track. It was necessary to drag the horse about sixty feet. Later the animal was put out of its misery.

The horse belonged to George Sybrand, of this city, and was being kept by Mr. Bridgeman. It was a high bred animal about twelve years old. The other horses were the property of Mr. Bridgeman.

The remarkable fact about the whole story is the manner in which four of the quadrupeds managed to successfully pick their way across the bridge.

Miss Anna Bell has taken a position with Mrs. Beerup, the East State street milliner, and will be glad to see all her friends and all the ladies of Jacksonville and vicinity.

ASSISTED IN CONCERT.

Miss Bernadette Hopper, Miss Agnes Devlin, Miss Elizabeth Strauss, Robert McBride and Albert Strauss left Saturday afternoon for Virginia where they assisted in the Father Davis concert which was held in the opera house.

Mrs. Minnie Coultas and daughter, Miss Mary Coultas, of Markham, who have been guests for a few days at the home of Dr. H. L. Griswold, on their way home from the west, departed Saturday to Markham.

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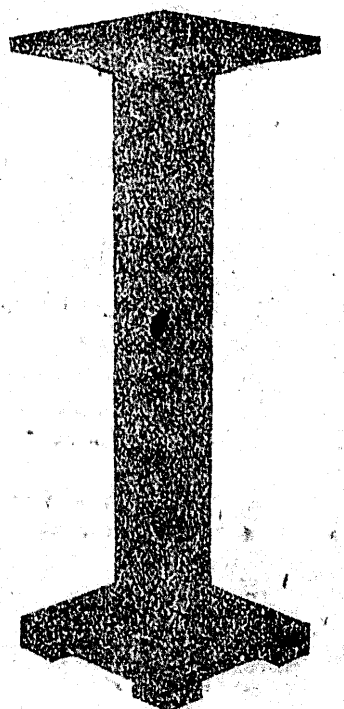
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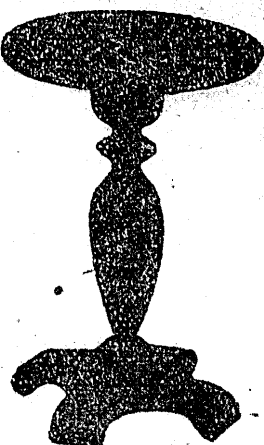
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